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300 MEN ARE ENTOMBED IN MINE

MANY KILLED IN POWDER EXPLOSION

EXPLOSION TRAPPED MINERS

BOOMER, W. VA., NOV. 30.—THREE HUNDRED MINERS WERE ENTOMBED TODAY IN MINE NO. 2, OF THE BOOMER COAL AND COKE COMPANY HERE BY A BLOWN-OUT SHOT, FOLLOWED ALMOST IMMEDIATELY BY TWO OTHER EXPLOSIONS OF LESS VIOLENCE. ALL BUT TWENTY FIVE OR THIRTY OF THE MEN HAD MADE THEIR WAY TO THE OPEN AIR BY THREE O'CLOCK, AND SUPERINTENDENT E. T. HUDDER EXPRESSED THE BELIEF THAT THEY WOULD BE SAVED AS THEY WERE WORKING BACK IN THE MINE BEYOND WHERE THE EXPLOSIONS OCCURRED.

The explosions fired the second north entry, and immediately the mine filled with smoke. The miners, mostly Italians, quickly ran to points of safety, and, when the smoke had been driven out of workings leading to the other entries, walked out. Four men, who appeared at three o'clock said they had seen nothing of the men employed at the extreme inner workings, but the rescue parties which had been quickly organized expected to reach them before night. The entry where the explosions occurred was still burning, but large forces of volunteers were fighting the flames.

WEALTH OF STEEL STANDS ON TRACKS

Pittsburgh, Pa., Nov. 30—Announcement by the Baltimore and Ohio railroad yesterday of an embargo on steel products for exports passing through the New York terminal will not seriously affect this district, only about 25 cars a day being shipped to that point, while some eighty cars make up the steel trains for Philadelphia and Baltimore. Much of this freight, railroad officials said, was for foreign ports, other than those in Europe.

Three thousand cars loaded with export steel were said to be in the yards at Hollidaysburg, Pa., closely guarded by railroad policemen until they can be sent on their way. This material, valued at approximately, $10,000,00, consists largely of steel car parts, wheels, etc., for Russia. There is also a considerable tonage of bridge steel.

EVERY POINT LOST BY DEFENDANTS IN CONSPIRACY CASE

New York, Nov. 30.—Counsel for the four Hamburg-American line officials on trial for conspiracy to deceive and defraud the United States assailed by legal argument today the case which the government has presented by witnesses against them and lost every point of their contention. Federal Judge Howe, presiding at the trial, heard the argument in the absence of the jury. Judge Howe denied the defendants' motion to strike from the record all testimony concerning the chartering and movement of the Steamer Marinin Quesada, and an hour later, overruled a motion to dismiss all the indictments.

BODIES ARE MANGLED BEYOND RECOGNITION; RELATIVES FRANTIC

RUMANIA INSISTS ON NEUTRALITY; MONASTIR EVACUATED

London, Nov. 30.—Monastir, in southern Serbia, has been evacuated. Serbian troops, having accomplished their purpose of delaying the enemy's advance until the civil population of the town had time to escape, have now left the city and according to reports are retiring in good order. Bulgarian occupation of the town is apparently a matter of only a few hours.

London, Nov. 30.—German positions on the Belgian coast from Zeebrugge to Ostend were bombarded for 2 hours this morning by a British squadron, according to a Reuter despatch from Amsterdam.

Berlin, Nov. 30.—(Via London)— The capture of Prisrend, in Western Serbia near the Albanian border, was announced today by the war office.

London, Nov. 30.—"According to telegrams from Bucharest, Rumania has notified Russia of her earnest desire to remain neutral," says a Copenhagen despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company.

"Consequently Russian ships will not be permitted to enter the Danube, which, it is emphasized, has been mined."

London, Nov. 30.—Field Marshal Earl Kitchener, the secretary for war, returned to London today from his trip to the near east.

Earl Kitchener will meet his colleagues in the war council of the cabinet on Thursday. At that time he will convey to them the results of his observations on the various battle fronts and his conference at the capitols of the countries he visited.

TERRIBLE SCENES PREVAILING NEAR THE POWDER PLANT

WILMINGTON, DEL., NOV. 30. — TEN ARE REPORTED DEAD AND MANY OTHERS INJURED BY AN EXPLOSION THIS AFTERNOON IN THE PRISMATIC MILL OF THE DU PONT POWDER COMPANY AT ITS HAGLEY YARD ON BRANDYWINE CREEK, ABOUT THREE MILES NORTH OF THIS CITY.

LATER REPORTS INDICATE THAT THE EFFECTS OF THE EXPLOSION WERE TERRIBLE. AT LEAST TWENTY MEN WERE KILLED, IT IS NOW SAID, AND PROBABLY MORE.

OFFICIALS OF THE DU PONT POWDER CO., STARTED SHORTLY AFTER TWO O'CLOCK FOR THE SCENE OF THE DISASTER TO MAKE INVESTIGATION.

AT THE POWDER YARD THE GREATEST EXCITEMENT AND CONFUSION PREVAILED.

The explosion is said to have been the worst that has occurred in a Du Pont plant in thirty years. It shook the city heavily and caused much alarm. A few minutes after the explosion a cloud of dense smoke drifted over the city. It is said the ten men reported killed are all young. The name of only one is known as yet, David Baird.

Du Pont ambulances brought the injured to the hospitals here as rapidly as possible.

Although the police information is that ten are dead, the company denies that anybody was killed.

Around the powder yards tremendous excitement prevails, families of the workmen frantically endeavoring to get on the premises. The bodies of victims were hurled in all directions from the destroyed mill, in many instances mangled beyond recognition.

INDIAN ATTACKS ON AMERICAN SETTLERS FEARED

Topolobampo, Mexico, Nov. 30—(Radio to San Diego, Calif.)—Carranza forces have again opened communication between Guaymas and Hermosillo, the capital of Sonora state, and General Diegnez is endeavoring to interpret 2,500 Villa troops supposed to be heading through Southern Sonora in an attempt to join General Bandera, the Villa commander in Northern Sinaloa, according to advices received here today.

Fear of an attack by Indians on the American settlers in the Yaqui valley has increased, as all but fifty troops have been withdrawn from that vicinity to participate in the Carranza campaign to the north.

Owing to the presence of Carranza troops in large numbers at Los Mochis, Americans who had taken refuge on the United States gunboat Annapolis, and those who had come for safety to Topolobampo have decided to return to their homes at once.

MONEY PLENTIFUL AND BANNER XMAS TRADE IS PREDICTED BY ALL

New York, Nov. 30.—Merchants here say that Americans have more to spend for Christmas shopping this year than in any holiday season since the Christmas of 1906. The big stores are preparing for a record trade during December, and wholesale houses are unable to fill orders in many lines. This is attributed to a rush of buyers from other cities to replenish depleted stores.

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 30.—Business conditions throughout North Carolina are improving rapidly, according to merchants in touch with conditions in the state.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 30—Merchants in the larger population centers of the southeastern sections of the country are of the opinion that the December business will be larger than for several years. Retail stores in Atlanta have laid in larger stocks than usual at this season of the year and early Christmas trade is justifying these preparations.

Tampa and Charles report heavy early Christmas trade and expect increases over past year.

Judge James W. Bannon, who has been ill the past ten days has recovered sufficiently to spend an hour or two each morning at his offices in the First National bank building.

PRESIDENT'S TOAST WILL CLOSE PANAMA EXPOSITION

San Francisco, Nov. 30.—"An international sentiment," a toast composed by President Wilson to the Panama Pacific Exposition, will be made public throughout the world tomorrow, three days before closing day, according to announcement today by Charles C. Moore, president of the exposition. The sentiment will be proposed as a toast at noon December 4, in the court of the universe at the exposition, as one of the central features of the closing exercises.

Attendance at the exposition today passed the 18,000,000 mark, the goal set early in the exposition by the officials.

RAILROAD LEGISLATION IS NOT TO BE PRESSED

Washington, Nov. 30.—Legislation affecting the railroads and the Interstate Commerce commission, in the opinion of administration leaders in close touch with the subject, probably will not be pressed at this session of congress.

There is pending in the senate committee on Interstate Commerce the bill considered at length last session to give the commission jurisdiction over the issuance of railroad securities. There also is a movement which has attained considerable impetus to enlarge the membership of the commission. Both subjects undoubtedly will be given attention early in the coming session, but it is doubtful if either will be pressed for action for another year.

There is a movement among Democrats in congress to turn the whole question of railroad securities and the enlargement of the Interstate Commerce commission over to a joint congressional committee for thorough investigation and report.

A Sub Victim

London, Nov. 30.—The British steamship Dotterell 1596 tons has been sunk presumably by a submarine.

Duluth, Minn., Nov. 30—The first steel making operations in Minnesota got under way today at the plant of the Minnesota Steel Company. Within a week after the first pig is drawn actual steel manufacturing is expected to start.

4 SENTENCED

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 30—Four persons indicted with Mayor Donn M. Roberts in the Terre Haute election conspiracy case were given sentences by Judge Anderson in the United States district court here.

John F. Nugent, assistant chief of police under Roberts, was sentenced to serve a year and a day in the federal penitentiary, while the other three were given jail sentences as follows: Frank Hess, five months; Jack Hines, four months; and John Burns, thirty days.

Shortstop Konnick Is Seriously Injured

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Nov. 30—Andrew Konnick, of this city, who played short-stop for the Frankfort, Ky., Southern League baseball team last season, and who led the league in batting and short-stop fielding, was so seriously injured today that he will probably be out of the game forever. He was struck by a car while at work in a mine, and physicians say an injury sustained to his back will probably be permanent.

Konnick has many friends here in base ball circles. He formerly played with Lexington.

UP FOR PARDONS

Columbus, O., Nov. 30—The following cases will be presented to the board of pardons at their next meeting Thursday, December 2: Jesse Rosebrough, G. B. Morgan, Lawrence; Nellie Shannon, Butler county; Kennard Eakins, Lawrence county.

Washington, Nov. 30.—President Wilson today shook hands with a group of Mexican school teachers sent to the United States by General Carranza, to study school systems. They were introduced by Councellor Peck of the state department.

NEW YORK'S POPULATION 5,253,888

New York, Nov. 30.—A police census of the city, just completed, shows that the greater city has 5,253,888 inhabitants in its five burroughs.

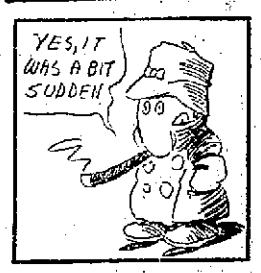
Teuton Sub Sunk

London, Nov. 29.—A German submarine attacked by a British aeroplane off Middlekerke on Sunday was sent to the bottom, according to the official report of Field Marshal Sir John French. It was seen to break in half.

MILITARY FEATURES

Athens, Nov. 29—(Via Paris Nov. 30.)—Final solution of negotiations of the entente powers with the Greek government has been further delayed it is reported tonight, pending reply of the allies to the Greek proposal to permit the respective general staffs to define the military features of the Allies' requirements in Macedonia.

Billy Butt-In Times Weather Man



T' be popular these days a feller not only has 't' deliver th' goods but he's gotta keep on deliverin' 'em. Possible or impossible makes no difference t' th' crowd—it only asks if a feller can or cannot. If he cannot it's th' hammer for him. And th' hammer is what I'm gettin' today as a result o' this blizzard. Here's for tomorrow:

Ohio—Partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday with snow flurries tonight along Lake Erie. Not so cold tonight in the southwest portion. Warmer Wednesday.

Kentucky—Fair and not so cold tonight and Wednesday.

West Virginia—Partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday, probably snow flurries in east portion. Not so cold Wednesday.

TRYING TO SQUARE MATTERS WITH ITALY

London, Nov. 30—The Pall-Mall Gazette, associating Emperor William's visit to Vienna with reports that Germany is willing to enter upon peace negotiations, ventures the opinion, that, as already suggested, the emperor's trip to the Austrian capital may represent a fresh attempt to bring about conclusion of a separate peace between Austria and Italy.

It says: "Some features of Italy's attitude may lend encouragement to such an enterprise. The government at Rome, for reasons never disclosed, has refrained from declaring war on Germany and has shown no particular eagerness to co-operate with the allies in restoring the situation in the Balkans. If it is believed in Berlin that Italy can be definitely squared by a liberal surrender of territory wherein she claims a national interest, great pressure may be employed at Vienna to bring about such a sacrifice and thus liberate Austrian troops for other regions."

WILL SEND BOY TRAIN RIDERS TO LANCASTER

In a final effort to break up the practice of train-riding among the boys of this city Judge Beatty has decreed that the second conviction of that offense will mean a sentence to the Boys' Industrial School at Lancaster for the offender. Each boy that is brought before him for riding trains is warned what is in store for him if he is arrested the second time.

Five local youths, Russell Shump, Warren Shump, Cuba Perkins, Harry Snedicor and Shela Boggs, were arrested Monday evening by N. & W. Detectives Reno and Leslie on charges of train-riding and trespassing on railroad property. They were taken before Judge Beatty, before whom complaint was made that the youths had been guilty of habitual train-riding and playing in the local freight yards to the annoyance of the railroad employes. Judge Beatty placed each of them under a suspended sentence to Lancaster and warned them what would follow in the event of their second arrest.

CLAIMS DOLLIE STOLE HIS PUP

A transcript of the case of Sidney Ryland against Dollie Eichenlaub was mailed to Judge Beatty Tuesday morning by Squire N. R. Debolt of Union township. Ryland charges that Dollie Eichenlaub broke into his barn and stole a dog valued at $10. Judge Beatty certified the case to the common pleas court for attention.

Harugaris Enjoy A Social Session

The members of Germania lodge No. 135 and Louisa lodge, No. 105, ladies auxiliary of the Order of Harugari, following the regular weekly business session of the former Monday night jointly held a social and luncheon. A delightful time was had by all of those present.

WOMEN SUBJECT TO KIDNEY TROUBLES

I beg to say that I have been a constant sufferer with severe pains in my back and was on the verge of nervous prostration resulting from kidney trouble and other complications. A friend of mine recommended Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root as a sure cure for these troubles. Acting upon her advice I began taking Swamp-Root and began to improve before I had finished the first bottle. I continued its use until I had taken several bottles and continued to improve until I was completely cured. I am happy to say that I am as well as any woman on earth and have been so for the past nine years, thanks to Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and I cheerfully recommend it to all who suffer from kidney troubles.

Very truly yours,
MRS. ALVA BAXTER,
1106 Main St., Orange, Texas.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of March, 1912.
John J. Ball
Notary Public.

Letter to
Dr. Kilmer & Co.,
Binghamton, N. Y.

Prove What Swamp-Root Will Do For You

Send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample size bottle. It will convince anyone. You will also receive a booklet of valuable information, telling about the kidneys and bladder. When writing, be sure and mention the Portsmouth Daily Times. Regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles for sale at all drug stores.

Judgment Awarded

Judgment for $742 was awarded Emma H. Noel from Alouis Zentz on an alleged promissory note for that amount in common pleas court this morning. The court held that the mortgage given as security for payment on property now owned by C. H. Hill was a valid lien, and foreclosure was ordered. Unless payment is made the court order that the property shall be sold to satisfy the judgment.

East End Smothers Eagles

The East End Basket Ball Club were too fast for the Eagles Monday and defeated them by an overwhelming score, 42 to 8. In fact the Eagle boys were fortunate in securing a single tally as the East Enders had their scoring machine working like greased lightning. A. Doll, as usual, was the star of the afternoon's game, registering exactly 10 field goals for a score of 20 points. Williams and Hamilton and H. Doll also put up a swell game for the East Enders. The line-up:

East End	Pos.	Eagles
Williams	C	Walker
A. Doll	R F	Backus
H. Doll	L F	Virgin
Hamilton		
Knowles	R G	Scott
Hamilton	L G	Marsh
H. Doll		

Field goals—A. Doll, (10); Williams, (4); H. Doll, (4); Hamilton, (3); Walker, (2); Virgin.
Foul goals—Backus, (2).
Referee—Wagner.

Basket Ball Notes

The league opens December 27th. One month yet for good hard practice.

A. Doll, East End forward, is playing some great pre-season games. In 10 games he has thrown 35 field goals for a score of 70 points.

Another big game on this evening at 6:45 between the West Enders and Tigers, two teams that fight hard. The Tigers will be greatly strengthened when they go on the floor tonight as they have secured a fast center.

On Wednesday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock the Tigers and their old rivals, the East Enders, lock horns. This will be one of the fastest games of the season.

The West Enders have a finely balanced team, and promise to be strong contenders for the pennant this season.

Have Sold Business

George Matouk & Sons on Tuesday sold their fruit and confectionery business in the Huels building on Chillicothe street near Eighth to Joseph Alexander, of Wellston. The former expect to locate at Akron, O.

Who Knows Edw. Nichols?

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TRUNK WAS ROBBED

The police on Tuesday received from C. & O. authorities an itemized list of articles stolen from a trunk that was broken open by thieves who entered the company's depot at Springdale, Ky. Thanksgiving day. A couple hundred dollars' worth of dresses, coats, clothes and other articles were taken.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.
NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

The Ladies' Suits
Coats and Dresses and the Men's Suits and Overcoats selling at
The WHEN
are warm and the most stylish in town. Try them. One price clothing house.

DID YOU SEE
WITHIN THE LAW
AT THE
SUN Theatre
LAST NIGHT?
IF YOU DID NOT SEE IT
TONIGHT
Prices 10, 20 and 30 Cents
GRAB BAG
TONIGHT
Everybody Gets A Present

THEATRICAL

"Within The Law" Scores at the Sun

Notwithstanding the snow of last night, a full house greeted the Ted Dalley Stock Company on their presentation of the great American drama "Within The Law", and well repaid they were, for a better performance could not have been asked for.

This vital drama of police methods was in capable hands with this company as each actor and actress were equal to the tasks assigned to them.

The honors of the play belong to Miss Stella Winmer as "Mary Turner", the convicted shop girl, and many were the truths she gives utterance to and shows that she can escape the law by just keeping within the law in all her dealings. Miss Winer rises to the responsibilities of this exacting part and plays it in a manner in keeping with Jane Gordon, who was seen in the same role a year or so ago at the opera house. Ted Dalley as "Joe Garson", the clever crook, gave a good interpretation of the role. His exhibition of the maxim silence was a well acted piece of business. To To enumerate the other characters would go into detail and suffice to say that any and every one who sees "Within The Law" this week, will be seeing a dollar and a half performance in every manner and detail.

Tonight is "Grab Bag Night". Everybody gets a present. Lots of fun.

Reward Of $50

The local police have received notice of a $50 reward that has been offered by the war department for the arrest of one Robert Adkins, a Greenup, Ky., young man who is reported to have deserted from the army at Fort Moultrie, S. C., November 3rd. He was a private in the 78th company, Coast Artillery corps.

TAKES CHARGE WEDNESDAY

Abe Mayer, who was recently named as custodian of the Elks' new home, will take up his work Wednesday. Mr. Mayer will have complete charge of the home and it is likely that later on he may serve a noon-day lunch.

Masonic Job Nearly Done

Contractor Robert Scott stated Tuesday that he would complete the extensive improvements being made in the Masonic Temple this week. The Masons will have an auditorium that will seat 700. One of its features is a roomy choir loft.

Has Faith in Quick Remedy For Catarrh

Wurster Bros. Guarantee That Hyomei Will Relieve The Worst Case of Catarrh In Portsmouth

When one of the most reputable concerns in Portsmouth guarantees that a medicine will produce benefit or they will refund the money, it speaks volumes for the merits of that remedy. It is in this way that Wurster Bros. are selling Hyomei, the treatment that has helped so many cases of both acute and chronic catarrh in Portsmouth and vicinity.

Hyomei is not a pill nor is it a spray or a lotion that must be rubbed in. It is an oil, the air of which you just breathe in your nose, throat and lungs by the aid of an inhaler that comes with every outfit. Benefit will usually be seen from the very first treatment.

This air destroys all germ life in the air passages and lungs and enriches and purifies the blood with the additional oxygen it supplies. It heals the catarrh of the head and throat and respiratory organs. Wherever these mucous membranes contain catarrhal germs, there Hyomei will do its work of healing. When using this remedy the air you breathe will be found like that on the mountains high above the sea level, where grows the balsamic trees and plants which make the air pure by giving off volatile antiseptic medicine that is healing to the respiratory organs.

The complete Hyomei outfit is inexpensive and includes an inhaler, dropper and sufficient Hyomei for several weeks treatment.

Remember that if Hyomei does not relieve you Wurster Bros. will refund your money. This is a good time to get rid of catarrh by this natural method and prevent catarrhal colds that are so common at this season.

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FIRST REAL SNOW FALLS

The weatherman Monday evening unfolded quite a variety of his wares as it rained, snowed and sleeted in less than an hour. The mercury kept dropping and the rain and sleet soon turned into snow and a mantle of whiteness covered the city this morning.

The minimum temperature was 26 above according to Weather Observer Dr. Harry Schirmann.

M'LAUGHLIN IS HELD

Cecil McLaughlin, local young man, who it is claimed struck Paul Bauer at the Manhattan restaurant last Saturday night, breaking his jaw, was arrested late Monday afternoon by Deputy Sheriff Rome Arthur on a warrant charging him with assault and battery, preferred by David Bauer, of Findlay street, father of the victim.

McLaughlin was taken before Squire John W. Byron, where he waived examination, and was bound over to the grand jury. He was released on $300 bond.

Friends of George Small will regret to learn that he continues in a serious condition at his home on Sixth street.

GET BUSY—GET THESE BARGAINS

4 lbs. fresh Back Bones	25c
Good Bacon	11, 12½ and 14c
Good Flour	65, 70, 75 and 80c
1 bu. good sound Potatoes	85c
1 peck Apples	20 and 30c
1 qt. Cranberries	10c

Everything the market affords at correct prices. Give us your order early.

J. J. BRUSHART
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Announces
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A PURE WHITE MINERAL OIL FOR THE TREATMENT OF CONSTIPATION

PHYSICIANS have long recognized the value of the mineral oil treatment for constipation. The former difficulty in obtaining a mineral oil of sufficient purity has been fully solved with Nujol. We offer in Nujol a pure white mineral oil which is absolutely odorless and tasteless. It is not digested or absorbed by the system, acting merely as a mechanical lubricant.

Nujol is not a drug. Its use will not give quick temporary relief from constipation. But Nujol is a genuine remedy in that it relieves constipation in the most *natural* way—by lubricating the lining of the intestines, softening the intestinal contents, and thus promoting healthy and normal bowel activity.

Write for booklet, "The Rational Treatment of Constipation," an informative treatise on constipation. If you cannot get Nujol from your druggist, we will send you a pint bottle prepaid to any point in the United States on receipt of 75c.—money order or stamps.

Approved by:
Harvey W. Wiley, Director Good Housekeeping Bureau of Foods, Sanitation and Health

STANDARD OIL COMPANY
(New Jersey)
Bayonne New Jersey

Expect Bond Issue To Extend Mains

It is expected that city council at its regular session Wednesday evening will arrange for a $5,000 bond issue for the purpose of extending the city water mains out Scioto Trail and up Mabert Road.

A petition will be presented asking for a sanitary sewer in the first alley east of Waller street, between Kinney Lane and Eighteenth street.

This is the only district not covered with a sewer in that area.

Quite a number of claims will be presented for the adjustment of damages growing out of the paving of Gallia pike at the eastern terminus. It was understood all along that property owners were to permit the city to build the retaining wall, replace walks and stirways, etc., and when the work was done to compromise claims.

Give your family a Victrola for Xmas
THE KAY GRAHAM CO.
Exclusive Agents For
Victor Records and Victrolas. adv

Railroad Men
Select that Coat, Dress or Suit for "her" now. We'll deliver it when you say. "One price to all."
The WHEN

NEW BUNGALOWS

Robert Scott, a local contractor, Tuesday announced that he would soon begin the erection of two bungalows on his newly purchased property on Scioto Trail, just north of the city. They will contain six rooms each.

Our Plan of Loaning Money Has Distinct Advantages

We charge no commission. The expense in making loan is small. You pay for nothing except the labor absolutely necessary to complete the transaction.
The rate of interest is moderate.
No large payments to worry about.
Small, regular, weekly or monthly payments.
You are at liberty to pay as much additional as you wish, or at any time pay your whole loan or any considerable portion of it.
Interest charged on unpaid balance only.
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For further particulars see
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The Columbia

TONIGHT ONLY

FAMOUS PLAYERS AND CHARLES FROHMAN PRESENT THE SUPREME EMOTIONAL ACTRESS

PAULINE FREDERICK in "ZAZA"

A SUPERB PHOTO PRODUCTION OF THE DRAMATIC SENSATION OF THE CENTURY

ALL SEATS 10 CENTS

ONE OF THE GREAT PICTURES OF THE YEAR

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The Movies

Pauline Frederick in "Zaza" Columbia Tonight

The story of the immortal drama, "Zaza", which has been adapted as a photoplay by the Famous Players Film Company, with Pauline Frederick, the foremost emotional actress of the screen, in the title role, and which is to appear on the Paramount program at the Columbia tonight is as follows:

"Zaza" is a popular singer in one of the gayest music halls in Paris. She leads a very tempestuous life and is much sought after by the beaux of the town. One night she meets Bernard, a man about town, behind the scenes and, after a frivolous flirtation, falls deeply in love with him. It is not long before he establishes her in an apartment, where they live happily for several months.

Her infatuation for Bernard is the only real and lasting emotion that Zaza has ever experienced and she dedicates her whole crude nature to the task of making him happy. It is therefore a terrible blow to her when she discovers that Bernard is married and has a little daughter. Stung to the depths of her savage nature by the duplicity of the only man she ever really cared for, Zaza's first thought is for revenge.

With fiendish accuracy she hits upon the plan of going straight to the wife of her betrayer and announcing herself as his mistress as the one best method of obtaining the vengeance which she craves. While still in the heat of her passionate hatred of Bernard, she sets out on her cruel mission, but meets the little daughter before she has an opportunity of denouncing her lover to the mother.

The sweet simplicity of the child, her ingenuousness and her delightful generosity so touch the grief-stricken Zaza that she cannot find it in her heart to crush the child under the blackening weight of the scandal which she knows would follow her through the rest of her life. So it happens that the daughter of Bernard saves him from disgrace.

Totally disillusioned, Zaza now dismisses her lover and returns to the stage. She soon attains marvelous popularity and becomes the idol of Paris. Hearing of her triumphs, Bernard comes to renew his attention to Zaza, and she, in the supreme struggle of her life against the overwhelming love which she still has for the man, finally conquers her own emotions and sends him back to the wife and child, who are still in total ignorance of his double life.

Zaza, with Bernard forever dismissed from her mind, devotes her life to the drama in which she attains the pinnacle of fame.

Edna Mayo and Bryant Washburn in "The Blindness of Virtue" —Essaney's Greatest Masterpiece — Columbia To-morrow.

This six-act photoplay is not only one of intense interest, but it teaches a great moral lesson.

The play when it appeared on the stage caused more comment than any other production of recent times. It has been talked of so much that everyone insisted on seeing the play, no matter whether they believed in its teachings or not.

Cosmo Hamilton's clear vision saw that one of the greatest evils in the path of young girls was their total ignorance of the world and of the fundamental truths of life and sex. In his story, one girl goes wrong because she had never been taught to realize the results of her actions. Another girl, the heroine of the story, was brought up in a similar ignorance, and was on the brink of disaster when her parents were awakened by the girl's disgrace. They saved their daughter in time.

Points Great Moral Lesson

This photoplay points out the lesson to mothers to instruct their daughters in the ways of the world. And it points out to girls themselves the bitterness that comes after the gay life of the moment.

All advanced educators have approved of this photoplay for its moral teachings, although there were some of narrow mind who criticized it for its frank revelation of the truths of life and love. This fact itself caused such comment that it drew throngs to the play just as it will to the photoplay. A great moral problem play such as this strikes a universal chord that makes everyone discuss its merits and draws them in great crowds to see it.

The play is clean and wholesome and inspiring. Critics who have seen it declare that no girl is too young to see it. In fact, it is urged that all mothers see the show and take their daughters with them so that both may learn the lesson together, one of the pitfalls that beset her path, and the other of the necessity to teach their children of the dangers that beset them.

And the photoplay has the merit of being even more intensely interesting for its teachings. Never for a moment was the detail of making the play thoroughly interesting to all forgotten in bringing out the moral lesson.

Play of Thrilling Interest

The play is full of thrills and there is an underlying love plot that grips the hearts of all. No one can help loving the pretty, innocent little Effie, the minister's daughter, whose ignorance leads her into indiscretions from which she is only saved by the fact that the young man with whom she is in love, though she scarcely knew the meaning of the word, is a man of honor. No heart is untouched and no eye remains dry when the poor little Mary Ann, a beautiful child brought up in poverty, elopes with an unscrupulous young man because of her love for the beautiful things of life which she had been denied. Then she is left forsaken and crushed, and her pitiful words, "I didn't know, I didn't know", brings a sympathetic response that sweeps over the house and holds every spectator with breathless interest. Matinees at 1:30, 3:00 and 4:30. Evening at 6:30, 8:00 and 9:30.

Jose Collins Starred in a "World Film Feature", "The Impostor"

The latest recruit, and a very attractive one at that, to film stardom, is Jose Collins, the very well-known and gifted opera star, who will be seen at the Lyric Theater in the five-part protodram, "The Impostor" on Thursday, at a 10 cents admission.

Miss Collins is the daughter of the famous Lottie Collins, who had a great career on the light opera stage in various parts of the world a score of years ago. Jose, therefore, inherited talent, and better than that, has manifested it for herself on the British and American stages. In New York she is remembered for her successes in "The Merry Countess"; "Suzi"; and at the Winter Garden, as well as at many other leading theatres.

As Geraldine Farrar is a conspicuous recruit from grand opera to the movies, so Miss Collins is equally as conspicuous in her transition from light opera to work before the motion picture camera. She is vivacious and piquant in her work; is endowed with an abundance of personal charm, and enters her new field with a great stage reputation for one so young.

Jose Collins, without doubt, will receive a most cordial welcome from all motion picture theatre-goers throughout the country. She is a pronounced brunette, and a strikingly beautiful one, with "movie eyes."

"The Impostor" is a strong and well connected drama, adapted from Douglas Murray's successful play, telling of the remarkable adventures of twin brothers and a beautiful Gypsy girl. Miss Collins is seen to good advantage as the Gypsy—a role that calls for one of exceptional talent. The admission will be only ten cents for adults and five for children

The Exhibit

Wifie's Ma Comes Back—Wifie informs Billie that his mother-in-law, who is an invalid, has been advised by her physician that she must visit the seashore. Acting upon the advice, she is soon on her way to pay them a long visit. This news upsets Billie so that he starts to throw plates around the room. He goes to his office, where he makes it very unpleasant.

"A Deed of Daring" is another of the Hazard of Helen Series in which she checkmates a band of men who have been smuggling Chinamen into this country.

"Mister Paganini," the blind violinist of Yellow Creek, is a two reel Biograph, treating of Western life and how the blind man kept three rogues from jumping a man's claim. This picture will please you, being very exciting from start to finish.

The Arcana

"The Defeat"—William Lovett, known as "Wild Bill," because of his wild and careless ways, is the son of "Battleship" Lovett, who has amassed a considerable fortune. Lovett, Sr., is greatly disappointed in his son and heir and has postponed any definite action regarding him, hoping the boy will find "his pace" and settle down, but it seems as though he will never be anything but a drunkard and a spendthrift.

This is a great three-reel Gold Seal photo-drama, abounding with beautiful scenery and a fine story of the terrible battles a spendthrift has to overcome his failings. It shows the many hardships, trials and suffering, but in the end he is successful and his success brings joy and peace to many others.

"Fanchon, the Cricket," an Imp production, completes the program for today. Admission, usual, only 5 cents.

Four Big Reels at The Majestic Theatre Tonight

A splendid program is awaiting the patrons at the Majestic Theater, Second street, this evening. The proprietors have a two reel Thanhouser, entitled, "Helen's Babies." This is a great feature, and one that will more than uphold the reputation of the Majestic, where high-class pictures are the only ones shown. Come tonight and see a great dramatic treat. "Helen's Babies" will be followed by a Beauty film, entitled, "Incognito," a truly remarkable production. The splendid program will come to a close by the showing of a Mutual Movie No. 31, depicting on the screen the leading events of the day, a very interesting as well as highly instructive feature. Admission is always five cents at the Majestic. Spend the winter evenings at this popular theater if you want to be highly entertained.

Big Fox Feature at Temple Tonight

Manager Smittle of the Temple Theatre will offer his patrons a real feature tonight when he will present William Fox's latest film, "The Soul of Broadway" in which Valeska Suratt is starred. Miss Suratt, the most discussed woman of the stage or screen, is, as is known to theatre-goers the country over, the fashion plate of the dramatic profession. Her gowns have made millions gasp by their beauty and daring as well as by their dazzling lavishness of design. In making her screen debut in "The Soul of Broadway", Miss Suratt has outdone all her previous efforts in gowns and millinery, fashioned by famous modistes.

Aside from its wonderful costumes and scenic lavishness, "The Soul of Broadway" is a dramatic story of unusual power.

Old Time Western Drama at the Strand

"The Ghost Wagon", 101 Bison three-reel Western drama features Edythe Sterling and Sherman Bainbridge in a stirring story of the plains in which will be shown many of the wild and desolate scenes of Indian massacre in the West of their superstitious traditions, old plainsmen vouch for the correctness of this story as filmed. The story is an intensely interesting one of days gone forever and was produced to fill a demand for more of those good old Western plays in which the great plains and mountains of the West are the stage and which are teaming with life and action.

"A Duke For a Day" Joker comedy with Max Asher and Gale Henry is a fitting picture to follow the big feature and will send you out with a smile that will last for hours.

MOTHERS! SAVE YOUR DAUGHTER

A "V. L. S. E. BIG FOUR" PRODUCTION FEATURING MISS EDNA MAYO AND Mr. Bryant Washburn

"The BLINDNESS of VIRTUE"

BY COSMO HAMILTON

THIS IS THE GREATEST MORALITY PHOTODRAMA OF THE YEAR. IS ATTRACTING UNIVERSAL ATTENTION BECAUSE OF THE WONDERFUL LESSON IT CARRIES TO YOUNG GIRLS. BESIDE BEING TENSE AND GRIPPING, IN ITS DRAMATIC STORY, IT PRESENTS A MORAL THAT EVERY GIRL WILL UNDERSTAND. ALL CHURCHMEN AND SOCIOLOGISTS REALIZE THE TERRIBLE RESULTS BROUGHT ABOUT BY IGNORANCE. THIS GREAT PICTURE PLAY ABOLISHES IGNORANCE IN SUCH A WAY THAT NO ONE IS SHOCKED AND GOOD TASTE IS NOT VIOLATED. EVERY MAN, WOMAN AND CHILD SHOULD SEE THIS GREAT PICTURE PRODUCTION.

In Six Acts BY Essanay PRODUCERS OF Graustark AND The White Sister

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TOBE AND GEORGE ARE HELD TO GRAND JURY

Tobe Henry and George Wheeler at the end of a lengthy hearing in police court Tuesday were bound over to the grand jury by the mayor for alleged robbing the apartments of Viola Wallace, of Eleventh and Gay streets, after her arrest and removal to prison Saturday night.

While the evidence was largely circumstantial it was shown that Henry and Wheeler had been together Saturday night and Sunday morning and Henry himself admitted having been in the Wallace woman's yard after her arrest and of having chased away two foreigners who arrived there to visit her. Mrs. Annie Arnold, a neighbor, also testified to having seen Henry there and of later hearing someone shout "Come out, Tobe, the police are coming." The bonds were fixed at $300 each.

Isiah Washington and William "Pomp" Commodore, negroes, were fined $10 each for fighting. Plain drunks giving the names of Charles Wessel, David Heller and John Philipps were fined $5 each. A man giving the name of Jim Wells was fined $5 for begging. Mike McDougall, the expert tunnel blaster, who already has paid two fines in the past fortnight, was found helplessly drunk in a hallway at the Manhattan restaurant Tuesday morning and removed to the lockup.

MOTHER WILL NOT AID SON

Mrs. L. H. Tribbet, of Westboro, O., in a letter to the police officials declined to come to the aid of her son, Roy Ramsey, who had been under arrest for alleged jumping a board bill. Ramsey, however, since escaped from the work gang. The mother wrote that she had done all she could to make an upright boy of him but to no avail.

Don't Forget—

that when constipation, biliousness or indigestion is neglected, it may cause a serious illness. Act upon the first symptom—keep your digestive organs in good order by the timely use of

BEECHAM'S PILLS

Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World. Sold everywhere. In boxes, 10c., 25c.

Railroad Men

Select that Coat, Dress or Suit for "her" now. We'll deliver it when you say. "One price to all."

The WHEN

JOINS RANKS OF THE "NEVER-SWEATS

The Portsmouth Stove and Range company are making a gas heater that they guarantee will not cause dampness on the walls of a room, nor give the persons in the room a headache. They are very low priced, and very substantially made—no thin flues to rust out. Has a cast iron baffle plate over the fire, body made of heavy polished sheet iron. Large, solid-cored cast iron burners. Made in five sizes, two finished—plain and nickel—a size and finish to suit every person and every pocketbook. They're Made In Portsmouth, and The PORTSMOUTH STOVE AND RANGE COMPANY stand back of them absolutely. When you buy your gas heater see that your dealer shows you the STAR-EQUITY or the SOLAR-EQUITY. 9-tf

Discouraging.

Mr. Botts—I think, my dear, that I have at last really found the key to success.

Mrs. Botts—Well, just as like as not you'll not be able to find the keyhole.—Ohio State Journal.

SUFFERED YEARS OF TORTURE, CURED IN ONE MONTH

Many Cases Suffering for Years, and Thought to be Incurable, Now Being Healed.

A prominent citizen of Alliance, O., writes: "For years I suffered with eczema on my face. Our leading druggist recommended Amolox. I bought one box of ointment and two bottles of the liquid and one cake of soap. After a month's treatment I am completely cured. It has been several months since using it and my face is perfectly smooth, with no sign of a return of the trouble.

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AMOLOX, the new scientific prescription for the relief and cure of skin diseases, now at leading drug stores. 50c trial size. Worster Bros. will refund the money if it fails to do what we claim for it.

Send postal for free sample to Amolox Laboratories, Youngstown, Ohio.

REHEARING IS DENIED

Washington, D. C., Nov. 30.—Applications for a rehearing of the case involving the right of trunk line railroads to continue their interest in and operation of the steamers on the Great Lakes, despite the prohibition in the Panama Canal act were denied to-day by the Interstate Commerce Commission. The applications were made by shipper's attorneys as the railroads declined to ask rehearing.

The Pasha's Reply.

An English traveler in the orient who was picking up material for a book asked a pasha: "Is the civil service like ours? Are there retiring allowances and pensions?"

"My illustrious friend," replied the pasha, "Allah is great, and the public functionary who stands in need of a retiring allowance when his term of office expires is a fool."

The Ladies' Suits Coats and Dresses and the Men's Suits and Overcoats selling at

The WHEN

are warm and the most stylish in town. Try them. One price clothing house.

WILSON'S MESSAGE GOES TO PRINTER

Washington, Nov. 30—President Wilson's address to congress went to the public printer today.

The message, which is comparatively brief, will be read by the president at a joint session of the two houses of congress a week from today. It deals primarily with national preparedness.

A Diamond Superstition.

In India the superstition obtains that if the famous diamond, the Kohinoor, is worn by a man dire disaster will befall him, while if the wearer be a woman fortune will shine upon her for the rest of her days.

Home Celebration of Wonder Interest

The arrival of a baby in the household completely changes the entire aspect of the future. But in the meantime, during the anxious period of expectancy, there is a splendid remedy known as "Mother's Friend" that does wonders. It is for external use, relieves the pains of muscle expansion, soothes and quiets the nerves, extends its influence to the internal organs and removes to a great extent the tendency to worry and apprehension. It is a natural treatment, safe for the mother, has no drug effect whatsoever and for this reason must exert a most beneficial influence upon those functions directly connected with motherhood. In a very interesting book the subject is freely discussed and a copy will be mailed free to all expectant mothers by Bradfield Regulator Co., 408 Lamar Bldg., Atlanta, Ga. Get a bottle of "Mother's Friend" today of any druggist. Use as directed and you will then know why mothers for nearly half a century have used and recommended this splendid aid to motherhood. Their letters are messages of cheer, that breathe comfort in every word.

HUSTLING EAST END BUSINESS MEN ORGANIZE

ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING MARKS THE FORMATION, OUTLOOK IS ROSY INDEED

Further steps to effect a permanent organization to promote the interests of the East End were taken at a meeting of some forty or more live wires of that end of the city Monday evening, held at Distel's Hall.

Despite the inclement weather, an enthusiastic crowd turned out. Their sincerity was further tested by the poorly heated hall, but they stayed to the finish, each one taking an active part in the proceedings.

Every one present seemed possessed with the idea of a permanent organization to boost the East End and its interests. Not a dissenting note made its appearance during the evening. Every one who spoke favored the establishment of a permanent organization as soon as possible.

Before the meeting adjourne Oscar Coburn, the temporary president, was authorized to name a committee of three members, with himself as ex-officia chairman, to draft a constitution and by-laws for the government of the organization. The members of the committee will be announced within the next day or so, and a meeting will be held at an early date.

To Adopt Constitution and By-Laws

The name of the new organization will be decided by this committee, whose actions will be subject to a vote of the entire membership. As soon as the committee finishes its task, a meeting will be called, the constitution and by-laws adopted, and permanent officers elected.

Sentiment at the meeting last evening seemed strongly in favor of the establishment of a savings and loan association company and a bank for the East End, and the organization of such an institution is expected to develop from the present movement. Other needed improvements will be fathered by the new organization.

Enthusiastic talks were made at the meeting by M. A. Coe, secretary of the Board of Trade and Business Men's Association, Frank V. Knauss, J. H. Farmer, John W. Flood, Louis M. Distel, John Voelker, O. A. Smittle, Charles G. Norris, L. F. Lemon, C. H. Closterman, and W. W. Bauer. Oscar Coburn, the temporary president, presided.

Directs Attack Against Trade Board

After an evening of harmonious action, a slight stir was occasioned shortly before the meeting adjourned by C. H. Closterman, former head of the old East End Furniture Company, who made a vigorous attack on the Portsmouth Board of Trade. He charged that it was made up largely and controlled by manufacturers, who conspired to keep new factories out of the city instead of bringing them into the city.

A vigorous retort to his attack was made by Frank V. Knauss, one of the vice presidents and directors of the Board of Trade, who was present. Mr. Knauss declared that the present growth of the East End was caused by the two institutions which the Board of Trade had been instrumental in bringing to Portsmouth, the N. & W. terminals and the steel plant. He also declared that the manufacturers of this city were discussed.

Sentiment Favors Temporary Officers

Sentiment among the members last evening seemed to favor the election of the temporary officers as a permanent organization, including President Oscar Coburn, Vice President O. A. Smittle, Secretary John E. Fritz, and Treasurer Thomas Brand. A board of directors will be elected to guide the destinies of the new organization.

In opening the meeting, President Oscar Coburn stated that the object of the new association was to form an organization of broad-minded men whose interests were in the East End and who would work for the development of that end of the city.

"We do not want to steal anything from the West End, or any other end of the city, but work for the good of the entire city. One of the things that we need more than anything else is a new bank and savings and loan association, and I hope this organization will be successful in having one established in the East End."

M. A. Coe Was First Speaker

M. A. Coe, secretary of the Business Men's Association, and the Board of Trade, was introduced as first speaker. Mr. Coe said in part:

"I am here this evening because I am interested in any kind of organization, whether it be a union of states for the purposes of government, or an organization of business men for mutual benefit. I am in favor of any organization that has for its object the promotion of good things.

"We know that it is necessary to organize to get results. When we join an organization, we surrender personal rights, and consent to be governed by the laws of that organization. Non-observance of that has many organizations, and will wreck one quicker than anything else I know of.

"Back in the days of the cave man, each man was a police power unto himself. If he didn't like something his neighbor did, he assumed the right to correct his fancied wrong. We have surrendered this police power to constituted authority, and have permitted ourselves to be governed.

"You must stand loyally by the rules of your organization. That is vital. Whether in church, in lodge, or in business clubs, you must be true to your obligations.

"The organization you are now forming will be primarily interested in business. This meeting this evening is an epoch. It means something that will show itself in years to come."

Mr. Coe then showed the progress that had been made in the past twenty years in the mercantile business, relating an incident in his own life twenty-two years ago to show the reforms that had worked in the pricing end of a retail business.

Paying Public Has Confidence In Merchants

"The retail business has developed to the point that I would not be afraid to send my youngest child to any reputable store in the city to make a purchase; I know that he would be able to purchase the article just as cheaply as I could. The buying public feels a confidence in the reputable merchants that wasn't so evident in the old days of no established prices."

Another danger he advised against was the practice of "cut-throat" competition, which he said was not nearly as prevalent now as in the old days, the practice of and which he declared was sure to install mistrust and lack of confidence among the buying public.

"An honest and fair profit is just as vital to trade as an honest day's wage is to labor", said Mr. Coe. "Price cutting hurts three people, the manufacturers, the merchant who practices it, and the ultimate consumer, who is the worst victim in the long run."

Another reform which Mr. Coe dwelt upon briefly was the reform that has been worked in the credit system and collections, which he said was much more satisfactory than in former years. He said that a better feeling had been fostered among the retail merchants, who had no hesitancy in discussing credits and collections, with each other on the most intimate terms, to their mutual advantage and profit.

In conclusion, he said he favored the contemplated organization because of the cordial feeling that would develop among the members, which, in itself, would go a long way in promoting the interests of the East End.

President Coburn Made Talk

At the conclusion of Mr. Coe's talk, President Coburn arose and remarked that at this time he wanted some expression from the members as to how they should proceed along the lines of permanent organization. He urged the members to select representative members to office, and said that he was ready to step down in favor of a more experienced man.

He also wanted some expression from the members as what they thought should be the dividing line between the East and West Ends of the city; to what extent the new organization should go in its activities; and what should be incorporated in its constitution and by-laws.

L. F. Lemon, an enthusiastic supporter of the new organization made a motion to continue the temporary officers as permanent, being strongly in favor of continuing President Coburn as the presiding officer.

Before his motion could be acted upon, F. V. Knauss, who has had considerable experience in organizations of the kind, stated that the members were getting the cart before the horse.

Mr. Knauss advised that before any officers should be elected, that a committee should be named to draft a constitution and by-laws, outlining the objects of the organization, the number of officers and their duties, and other pertinent facts in connection with the new association.

He said that the club could be made a political or a non-political organization, denominational or undenominational, just as the members chose; but that all such matters should be decided and drafted into the constitution before any attempt was made to effect a permanent organization.

He also advised that the association should be incorporated under the laws of Ohio governing the incorporation of societies not operated for profit to protect those members who would otherwise be personally liable for anything which the association as a whole did.

Mr. Knauss made a plain, practical talk on organization, which cleared up the minds of many of the members who have had but little experience along those lines.

When he had finished, Mr. J. H. Farmer moved that the chair appoint a committee of six to draft the constitution and report at an early date. He afterward accepted the amendment of John W. Flood, fixing the number on the committee as three, with President Coburn as ex-officio chairman. This motion was unanimously adopted. Prior to that, all present went on record as in favor of continuing the organization as a permanent one.

Many Extemporaneous Speakers

President Coburn then called upon the members for a few impromptu remarks along the line of organization.

John W. Flood, the East End druggist, said: "When the matter of forming a club was first launched, I understood that it was to be an organization of business men only; afterward, I learned that any one in the East End was eligible. I think that the latter idea is the better of the two. It seems to me that the constitution and by-laws of the Business Men's Association would be suitable for our needs, with a few modifications, probably to suit local conditions."

Louis M. Distel, billiard hall proprietor, said: "I think, that by all means, the boundary line for the East End should be fixed at Offnere street, and include everything east of that."

John Voelker, the East End dry goods merchant, said: What the East End needs is a strong organization of boosters. We've been asleep on the job. We haven't worked hard enough to let people know how we are fixed in this end of the city. By pulling together in hormony, we will be able to accomplish great things for this end of the city. It won't be like the last Korn Karnival, when there wasn't any organization to take hold of the project to have booths for East End merchants on the Korn Karnival streets."

Father of East End Club Movement

O. A. Smittle, proprietor of the Temple Theatre, who was introduced as the father of the "East End Club Movement", said: "I think we have made excellent progress this evening. Everything is moving just like I had hoped it would. I am strongly in favor of Mr. Knauss' ideas on organization, and think they should be followed. My idea in promoting this club was to bring about a general cleaning up of this end of the city, and make it easier to do business up here. We can have meetings and small banquets without any great cost. One time the ladies of Manly M. E. church can serve it; another time the ladies auxiliary to the B. of L. E., and so on, among all the ladies organizations of this end of the city."

L. F. Lemon said that he was heartily in favor of what had been done, and that the organization would have his hearty and enthusiastic support.

Charles G. Norris favored the name "East End Business Men's Club" instead of the "East End Boosters' Club", because he said the former name carried more weight and influence, while the latter name indicated more of a temporary organization.

Should Exercise Great Care

W. W. Bauer thought that before the annual banquet in great care should be taken in the selection of officers, and that those men would be put in office who would work diligently for the development of the East End.

F. V. Knauss, of the Portsmouth Stove and Range Company, made an extended talk, in which he offered some valuable suggestions to the members.

One of the greatest results that would follow the organization, he thought, was the good feeling that would be created among the members, which would enable them to work together harmoniously and for the general good of the city, as well as the East End.

He urged the members to join the Board of Trade as individuals, and advocated forming the club as an auxiliary to that organization. He asked them to join to move to this city.

Should Affiliate With Chamber of Commerce

He also suggested that the new club should affiliate itself with the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, which he said was the most solid, and influential business organization in the world. The pulse of the nation, he said, could be secured by the United States Chamber of Commerce in thirty days.

Mr. Knauss, in his speech, repeatedly broke out into laudations of former United States Senator Theodore K. Burton, and urged the members of the new club to affiliate with the Board of Trade, in time to hear him speak at the annual banquet in January.

C. H. Closterman, former East End furniture man, made the most vehement address of the evening, confining his remarks to a bitter attack on the Board of Trade. He said:

"Heretofore, when I have met with you, I have been tied down by business associates, and was not able to express my real thoughts. Tonight it is different. I stand alone, and am free to offer my suggestions as I see fit.

"I, for one, am in favor of calling this organization, the "New Portsmouth Board of Trade", or "Portsmouth's New Board of Trade". I never was in favor of the present Board of Trade. I don't like the way they do things. have lost thousands more by the success of those projects."

The new East End Club was started about two weeks ago by O. A. Smittle, who interested other progressive men in the East End in the project. Circulation of petitions followed, and the following men have signed the membership roll of the club, which is primarily to boost the East End, and which is to be non-political and undenominational in character:

O. A. Smittle, John C. Kyle, C. W. Scaggs, G. M. Bullock, L. F. Lemon, John W. Flood, The Hans Store, O. Shoemaker, Smith and Dunn, John Voelker, H. H. Anderson, Brand and Lawson, Coryell and Son, M. C. Sparks, John A. Arthur, The Bushwaw Pharmacy, J. W. Jordan, H. B. Adams, F. V. Knauss, G. W. Keller, Harry B. Jordan, W. A. McQuat, J. F. Menke, A. D. Moore, W. W. Smith, H. N. Warman, W. Bradley, M. H. F. Kinsey, J. W. Mitchell, Harry Ball, H. E. Puckett, Simpson Brothers, W. W. Bauer, John E. Fritz, W. P. Colegrove, Alfred Lloyd, J. L. Galford, L. R. Gable, O. W. Price, C. V. Price, Charles Flowers, Elmer Heisel, Earl A. Clare, J. E. Wanless, J. H. Allard, Charles P. Lenhart, Glen E. Rardin, O. M. McCall, C. S. Shela, L. H. McElfresh, J. R. Hancock, J. O. Story, Hollar and Cropper, C. S. Strong, W. F. Wingfield, Surver and Thompson, Coverston Meat Market, Montgomery and Lockhard, Louis M. Distel, Coburn Brothers, W. S. Haney, John Shonkwiler, D. L. Webb, John W. Byron, Stanley M. Jones, Dr. C. G. Braunlin, H. M. Anderson, D. W. Emrich, James R. Miller, B. F. Groniger, W. L. Leslie, J. E. Shump, George Luther, H. Hildenbiddle, S. E. McCurdy, O. L. Cryer, A. C. Frowine, J. W. Opp, T. P. Haley, Jr., Charles E. Conklin, P. W. Kileoyne, John Maurer, John F. Webb, John F. Eckhart, Thomas Haley, Joseph R. Distel, F. A. Puckett, J. C. Stewart, J. N. Souders, J. I. Kemp, Thomas Conroy.

Should Be Made Up of Retail Merchants

"There is no place for a manufacturer on a Board of Trade. It should be made up of retail merchants. The manufacturers, instead of trying to get new industries for a city, try to keep them out. They don't want to put their labor in competition with the labor of other industries. What we want to do is to try and get some new industries for the East End.

"How are you going to go about improving the East End? By bringing a feed store up here, or five or six more grocery stores, or five or six moving picture shows. What we want up here is a bank or a branch bank, a savings and loan company, an insurance office, and a real estate man who will establish a permanent office up here."

After he had finished, Mr. F. V. Knauss arose and said: "For the benefit of the gentleman who has just spoken, I want to say that the two industries which have made the East End what it is, the N. & W terminals, and the steel plant, were brought to this city through the offices of the Board of Trade, which he attacks. That is sufficient to answer his argument.

And I want to add for his benefit that the contributions, and yes, the work too, that made possible those two enterprises for our city came largely from the manufacturers of this city. What would the retail merchant do without the manufacturers? My many years' experience as a member of the Board of Trade qualify me to state that the bulk of collections for matters of that kind came from men whom you can count on the fingers of my two hands.

Mr. Knauss Defends Trade Board

"I myself have contributed thousands of dollars for projects that have been fostered by the Board of Trade, and indirectly

SKETCHED AT THE EAST END CLUB SMOKER MONDAY NIGHT

How To Make Straight Hair Curly

(Society Talk.)

To make straight hair nice and curly in one night by merely applying plain liquid silmerine—that's one of the best beauty secrets that has leaked out in a long time. Some peculiar property of this harmless fluid causes the hair to dry in just the prettiest, most natural-looking curls and creases imaginable. It is valuable as a dressing also, as it puts new life and lustre into dead-looking hair.

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COMMITTEE NAMED BY PRESIDENT COBURN

President O. M. Coburn, Jr., of the new East End Club, announced this morning the appointment of the following three men as a committee to draft the constitution and by-laws of the organization: Elmer Heisel, L. F. Lemon, and John McMillan. President Coburn will serve as chairman ex-officio of the committee.

A meeting of the committee has been called for Thursday evening at the home of President Coburn. It is thought that the committee will complete its work at one session, although another session will be held if necessary. Secretary John Fritz will also be present to take a record of the proceedings.

After the constitution and by-laws have been drafted, a meeting of the entire membership will be called to ratify the action of the committee, probably one evening next week. Permanent officers will also be elected, including a board of directors.

President Coburn stated this morning that there is a movement on foot to make the membership open to any citizen of Portsmouth who is interested in the development of the East End.

He also stated that the new organization will work in harmony with the Board of Trade and the Business Men's Association, and will not be antagonistic to any organization whose object is the betterment of Portsmouth.

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MASONIC NOTICE

Annual meeting of Aurora Lodge No. 48, F. & A. M. Monday evening, December 6 at 7:00 o'clock. Election of officers. Pay your dues.

WANTED

WANTED:—Three boarders at 508 Court. Phone 1079 X. 18tf

WANTED—Good girl or woman for general housework. Small family, good wages. Must give reference. 1721 Hutchins. 27-3

WANTED:—Girl for general house work, 423 Waller St. 29-3

WANTED: —COMMISSION SALESMEN TO HANDLE A SPECIAL LINE OF DOMESTIC CHINAWARE TO THE TRADE. THE CARROLLTON POTTERY CO., CARROLLTON, OHIO. 29-2

WANTED:—Everybody to know that De Berrienne pays the highest prices for second hand furniture, stoves, shoes and clothing. 537 2nd St. Phone 567 A. 29-6

WANTED:—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping or cottage. Address X, Box 230. 29-3

WANTED:—Horse. Will work in grocery wagon for feed. H. L. Kaust, 9th and Waller Sts. 29-3

WANTED:—Two or three boys of neat appearance to sell pop corn crispettes after school hours. 645 2nd. 29-3

WANTED:—Girl. Cook's restaurant. 1162 10th. 10tf

NOTICE:—For prompt package delivery. Phone Y 404, Dick Bostwick, 12 Waller. 2tf

WANTED:—Carpets to clean. We make rugs out of old carpets. Portsmouth Carpet Cleaning Co., Revare & Klingman, Home phone 490. 5tf

NOTICE:—For prompt city delivery call Geo. Abrams Phone 1025 A. 14tf

FOR EXCHANGE—For Portsmouth property, 350 acres fruit or tobacco land. James A. Maxwell. 9tf

WANTED—Girl for general house work, good wages, 1209 Gay street. 30-3t

WANTED — Pressfeeder. Call phone 154 daytime, 1717-B night or call at office T. M. Patterson Paper Box Co. 30-tf

NOTICE—Country people wanting their hogs butchered at home by an experienced butcher, see Vince Dunham, 819 4th St. 27-3

WANTED:—Girl for general housework. Inquire Mrs. Wes Horning, 1821 8th. 29-3

WANTED: —Used automobile; must be in good running condition and cheap; not over two years old; state price. Ford 5 passenger preferred. Address Kentuckian, care Portsmouth Daily Times. 29-6

WANTED: Eight or ten vacant building lots, well located; suburban preferred; will consider Kentucky side. Submit nothing but rare bargains and give price Address Lock Box, 357, Portsmouth, Ohio. 29-6

WANTED:—Position in office by young woman. Stenographic work preferred. Phone 1812 R. 27-3

FOR SALE

FOR SALE:—Or trade, 28 acres in Sciotoville, 66 ft. lot Front and Glover Sts. J. J. Brushart. 27tf

FOR SALE—Ford Touring car. Cheap. 1824 Grandview. 27-3

FOR SALE—Ford roadster just overhauled. Price $175. See Adam Frank's garage, 339 Second St. 27-3t

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FOR SALE:—Large coffee pots only 25 cents. Central Hardware Co., 542-545 2nd St., corner 2nd and Court. 29-2

FOR SALE: —30 h. p. roadster. Bargain. $200. Phone 292 X. 29-6

FOR SALE:—Good work horse, cheap. Apply Knittle's bakery. 29-4

FOR SALE:—Or trade, for good horse, fresh holstein cow, 29 E. Rhodes avenue, New Boston. 29-3

FOR SALE:—Nice iron bed and springs, in good condition. Will sell cheap. 1745 11th. 29-3

FOR SALE:—Pool table cheap. Phone 145. 29-3

FOR SALE:—Portsmouth model steel range, also good gas heater, cheap. 1218 9th. Phone 372. 29-3

FOR SALE:— Fresh Jersey cow, third calf. J. F. Burgraf, Rushtown, Ohio. 29-3

FOR SALE—Fourteen mules. One gaited saddle mare. One first class harness horse. Inquire at Langhorne, Langhorne & Co., and Snead, near Sciotoville. 15-tf

FOR SALE—Or rent. Tarpaulins, just received, new supply, all sizes. Grimes-Stritmatter Grain Co. 22tf

FOR SALE—Corner lot, Wheelersburg, 100 by 180. Good location for a store, $900.
Lot, 17th, $1280.
Lot Summitt, $1277.50.
Fire, life, health and accident insurance that insures.
P. W. Kilcoyne, 1218 Grandview avenue, phone 1408-A. 30

FOR SALE—Bay mare 10 years old, $25. Phone 2602-Y. 29-3

FOR SALE—Or trade for electric motor, 2 h. p. I. H. C. gasoline engine. Phone 1661-Y. 30-1t

FOR SALE—Good work horse. Martin Suter, Mabert Road. Phone 1413-X. 27-3

FOR SALE: Ford touring car, in good condition. Will sell at bargain if sold at once. E. L. Anderson, garage. 29-3

FOR SALE:—8 room house with bath, all hardwood finish, up to date in every partcicular, 18th and Grandview.
4 room house on 18th St. or corner of alley.
6 room house with bath, cellar, barn, 2017 17th St., in fine condition.
5 room house with bath, cellar and barn, 1906 Grandview Ave. See Alan Jordan. Phone 177 or 370. 12tf

FOR RENT

FOR SALE:—Small supply of stereotype mats. Better than paper for laying under carpets. The Times Office. 4tf

FOR RENT:— Rooms, either suites or single. See Reuben Smith Rooms 1 and 2, Elk Bldg. 9tf

FOR RENT:—5 room house, centrally located. See Thos. B. Lawson. 29-6

FOR RENT—8 room house with bath, hot and cold water, one-half block from main car line. Inquire 1111 Clay. Phone 981-A. 30-2t

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping or sleeping. 3014 Gallia street, Terminals. 30-2t

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms for sleeping. Will give board to right party, located along car line. Phone 1197-X. 30-tf

FOR RENT: — Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping, down stairs. Call at 724 Sixth street. 30-3t

FOR RENT—6 room house on 12th below Hutchins. Phone 1541-B. 30-3t

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FOR RENT—4 room house at East Portsmouth, water and gas. See H. Rottinghaus, 209 Market. 27-3

FOR RENT:—4 room cottage, 6 room house, gas for heat and light, Sciotoville. Call C. W. G. Hannah, 22 A, Sciotoville exchange. 25tf

FOR RENT:—One large front room furnished for light housekeeping, bath, 917 9th St. 24tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished room with bath and phone 1120 8th. St. 24tf

FOR RENT:—2 or 3 furnished rooms for light house-keeping. Gas included. Inquire 930 Gallia. 24tf

FOR RENT:—5 room two story house with bath, 817 Prospect. Phone 1583 A. 27-3

FOR RENT:—3 nicely furnished front light housekeeping rooms bath complete, 1024 Gallia. 27-3

FOR RENT:—5 room house 910 3rd., 6 room house 2528 Gallia; 6 room house, 1725 7th. Hot and cold water and bath in all houses. Call Tritscheller's. 29-2

FOR RENT:—5 room cottage, bath, 1717 Logan, across from Highland street school, hot and cold water, electric light, gas, hardwood floors. Phone 801 X. 29-3

FOR RENT:—Large front room for two, all conveniences, married couple preferred. 704 John 29tf

FOR RENT:—3 very desirable front rooms upstairs with gas and running water; rent reasonable, 521 Market. 29tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, 1120 3rd St. 29tf

FOR RENT:—2 or 3 furnished or unfurnished rooms with bath at 1722 17th St. 29-3

FOR RENT:—Three flats with bath, $12 and $14. Corner 6th and Adams. Phone 386 A. 29-2

FOR RENT:—3 room house on 8th St. Phone 1722 A. 29-3

FOR RENT:—4 room house rear of 713 9th St., $6.00 per month. Phone 937 B. Inquire 1323 6th. St. 29tf

FOR RENT:—6 room house, water and gas, 111 Glover St., $12. Phone 344. Inquire 1318 Second. 11-tues, thur. sat tf

FOR RENT:—Two room cottage, cellar, closet, water, toilet, gas. Rear 609 8th. Phone 635. 30-3

FOR RENT—4 rooms and pantry. 920 12th St. 30-3t

FOR RENT—Modern 6 room flat corner 9th and Offnere. Call Grassman Bakery, 715 Chillicothe. 30-3t

FOR RENT—Farm on Rosemount Road; for further information call at Miller's dry goods store. Phone 244 A or 1115 Y. 6tf

FOR RENT:—5 room two story house with one acre of ground, one mile east of Sciotoville on the new traction line, Gallia pike. Phone 94 Y, Sciotoville exchange. Minnie Egbert. 23-12

FOR RENT:—4 room alley house with heating, cooking stove, gas and water. No children. James A. Maxwell. 22tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished house, 7 rooms, central location, modern conveniences. Phone 1381-X. 18tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished room, 1716 Gallia. 22tf

FOR RENT:—First floor flat, 5 rooms and bath (J. F. Davis homestead) 950 Second Street. Geo. M. Osborn, Turley Bldg Home phone: Office 91, Residence 219. 13-tf

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THE MARKETS

CLOSING PRICES NEW YORK STOCKS

Allis-Chalmers 34⅛.
American Beet Sugar 70⅛.
American Can 63.
American Car & Foundry 82.
American Cotton Oil 57B.
American Locomotive 71⅝.
American Smelting & Refining 99.
American Sugar Refining 118.
American Tel. & Tel. 128⅞.
Anaconda Copper 88⅛.
Atchison 106⅝.
Baldwin Locomotive 114.
Baltimore & Ohio 94.
Bethlehem Steel 460.
Brooklyn Rapid Transit 89¾.
California Petroleum 26¾.
Canadian Pacific Ex-Div. 183¼
Central Leather 59¼.
Chesapeake & Ohio 63½.
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul 94½.
Chicago, R. I. and Pacific Ry. 19⅞.
Chino Copper 54½.
Crucible Steel 74½.
Denver & Rio Grande pfd 27B.
Erie 43⅞.
General Electric 176.
General Motors 462.
Goodrich Co. 71⅛.
Great Northern Ore. Ctfs. 50.
Great Northern pfd. 126.
Illinois Central 108½.
Interborough - Consol. Corp. 21½.
Inter. Harvester, N. J. 109½.
Lehigh Valley 82.
Louisville & Nashville 127½.
Maxwell Motor Co. 74½.
Mexican Petroleum 94¼.
Missouri, Kansas & Texas pfd. 16½B.
Missouri Pacific 6⅝.
National Lead 64½B.
New York Central 102¾.
N. Y., N. H., & Hartford 76½.
Norfolk & Western 117¼.
Northern Pacific 116⅜.
Pennsylvania 60.
Ray Consilidated Copper 25⅝.
Reading 82.
Republic Iron & Steel 51.
Southern Pacific Ex-Div. 101½.
Southern Railway 23⅞.
Studebaker Co. 153¼.
Texas Co. 211.
Tennessee Copper 58.
Union Pacific 140⅜.
United States Rubber 54⅜.
United States Steel 86¾.
nited States Steel pfd. 115½.
Utah Copper 79⅞.
Western Union 88.
Westinghouse Electric 69½.
Wabash pfd. B29⅝.
Intl. Mer. Marine pfd. 67½.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

OPENING PRICES

Wheat, Dec. $1.06½@1.05⅞; May, $1.08⅞@1.08¼.
Corn, Dec. 64⅝@64½c; May, 68⅞c.
Oats, Dec. 41⅞@41⅛c; May, 44¼@44c.

CLOSING PRICES

Wheat — Dec. $1.05; May, $1.07¾.
Corn Dec. 64c; May. 68 1-8c.
Oats—Dec. 41¼c; May, 43 5-8c.

PROVISIONS CLOSE

Pork—Jan. $17.60; May, $17.62.
Lard—Jan. $9.27; May, $9.52.
Ribs—Jan. $9.42; May, $9.60.

TOLEDO GRAIN

Wheat—Cash, $1.14½; Dec. $1.14½; May, $1.18¼.
Corn—cash, new, 66c; old, 71c; Dec. 66c; May, 70xc.
Oats—cash, 52¾c; Dec. 42¾c; May, 46¼c.
Rye—No. 2, 96c.
Clover seed — prime cash, $11.97½; Dec. $11.97½; Feb. $12.07½.
Alsike—prime cash, ; $10.22 Dec. $10.22; Feb. $10.42½.
Timothy—prime cash, $3.70; Dec. $3.70; Feb. $3.77½.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS

CHICAGO

Chicago, Nov. 30.—Hogs: Receipts 48,000; dull, 5 to 10 under yesterday's average; bulk $6.15@6.75; light $5.70@6.70; mixed $6.10@6.95; heavy $6.35@6.95; rough $6.35@6.50; pigs $4.00@$5.75.

Cattle: Receipts 6,000; weak; native beef steers $5.65@10.50; western steers $6.20@8.30; cows and heifers $2.70@8.00; calves $6.25@10.25.

Sheep: Receipts 12,000; strong; wethers $6.00@6.50; lambs $7.00@9.10.

CINCINNATI

Hogs—receipts, 6,300 strong; packers and butchers, $6.60@6.90; common to choice, $5.00@6.40.

Cattle—receipts 300, steady. Calves, strong, $4.00@11.00.

Sheep—receipts 100, strong. Lambs, strong.

PITTSBURGH

Hogs—receipts, 2,000; 15 cents higher; heavies, $7.05@7.10; heavy yorkers, $6.85@6.90; light yorkers, $6.20@6.35; pigs, $5.75@6.00.

Sheep and lambs—receipts, 500; steady. Top sheep, $6.15; top lambs, $9.25; calves, receipts 100; steady. Top, $11.00.

CLEVELAND

Cleveland, Nov. 30.—Cattle: Receipts 100; steady.

Calves: Receipts 150; active; good to choice veal calves $10.50@11.00.

Sheep and Lambs: Receipts 1,500; strong; good to choice clipped lambs $8.75@9.00.

Hogs: Receipts 3000; 5 up: yorkers and lights $6.80; heavies and mediums $6.90; pigs $5.75; roughs $6.00; stags $5.25@5.50.

PRODUCE MARKET

CHICAGO

Butter unchanged. Eggs unchanged, receipts 2,613 cases.

Potatoes—unsettled; receipts 50 cars; Michigan and Wisconsin whites, 60@65c; Minnesota and Dakota whites, 60@66c; Minnesota and Dakota Ohios, 60@63c.

Poultry, alive, higher; fowls, 11c; springs, 12@12½c.

CLEVELAND

Poultry—fat fowls, 14@14½c; turkeys, 17@19c.

Potatoes—best car lots, 68@75c a bushel. Jobbing, 78@80c.

Other markets unchanged.

SUGAR

New York, Nov. 30.—Raw sugar strong; centrifugal 5.14c; molasses 4.37c; refined firm.

Sugar futures opened firm on covering and renewed demand by trade interests. At noon prices were three to seven points higher.

The list declined under realizing in the forenoon and closed barely steady, two points higher to four lower. Sales 4,650 tons.

December 3.94c; March 3.26c; May 3.28c; July 3.36c.

COTTON

New York, Nov. 30.—Cotton futures closed steady; Dec. 12.19c; Jan. 12.30c; March 12.60c; May 12.82c; July 12.89c.

COFFEE

New York, Nov. 30.—Coffee: Rio No. 7, 7⅝; futures steady; December 6.58c; May 6.66c.

MONEY

New York, Nov. 30.—Call money firm; high 2; low 1¾; ruling rate 2; last loan 2; closing bid 1¾; offered at 2.

TERMINALS

N. & W. Fireman M. Thornton, of Ironton, will be able to resume his work in a few days. On Nov. 16 he fell from the cab room of his engine while at Crum, W. Va. His left leg and ankle were injured.

Otto Y. Coriell, of General Foreman G. W. Keller's office, returned Monday from a short visit with relatives in Ironton.

J. H. Finney will conduct a Bible class study in the lobby of the Y. M. C. A. Friday evening at 7:15 o'clock.

All N. & W. freight trains passing through the local yards from the West early Monday morning were covered with snow. The trainmen report a light fall of snow near Columbus.

After having to delay the meeting for nearly three weeks on account of rushed business, the N. & W. Terminal committee met in monthly session in E. C. Tucker's office Monday. All members were present, as follows: E. C. Tucker, general yardmaster; B. F. Fugitt, yardmaster; Richard Forrest, roadmaster; H. C. Bugh, agent; Floyd Munn, airbrake inspector; R. M. Nutter, yard engineer; Albert Petzek, yard fireman; O. R. Atkinson, yard conductor; W. W. Dixon, yard brakeman; Paul Jones, clerk.

A runaway team of horses belonging to Jacob Bucher, of Afton, O., ran into the side of N. & W. extra freight 106 as it was passing through Williamsburg, Monday. The horses were so badly injured they had to be killed and the wagon was demolished. The driver was thrown out before the horses crashed into the train, which was making 20 miles an hour. Conductor Samuel Kinsey and Engineer F. Puckett were in charge of the train.

Railroad men from Columbus Tuesday morning brought word that N. & W. Freight Conductor B. C. Fisher, of Columbus, received serious injury to his feet Monday. He was cleaning an automatic shot-gun when it suddenly went off, the contents lodging in the popular conductor's feet. His many friends here will be sorry to hear of the accident.

Raleigh Bailey, N. & W. fireman of Gallia street, who was injured recently in a fall from his engine, is getting along nicely.

Homer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Strother, of Gallia street, is recovering from scarlet fever.

A Christmas program will be presented at the Tabernacle by the members of the Sunday school. Mrs. O. L. King's class will do the decorating. The class met at the home of Mrs. Lee, on Walnut street, Monday night and practiced their different parts.

Business on this part of the N. & W. is keeping around the 1,250 loads a day mark. Over 1,100 loads were received Sunday and over 1,150 were sent out of the local yards.

Rev. O. L. King and wife are conducting daily shop meetings in the N. & W. shops. The meetings are being largely attended. Rev. King and wife held the regular Sunday services in the Tabernacle.

LOST

FOUND—Pocket book, owner can 1410 High. 30-3

LOST:—Watch fob on or near Lincoln. Initials W. S. C. Phone 1143 A for reward. 27-3

LOST:—Silver brooch with rhinestones, Friday Phone 1056. 29-2

LOST:—Large yellow mulie cow with white spots; strayed or stolen. Notify Phone 1271 A. 2336 9th St Reward. 29-3

LOST:—Automobile curtain. Return to Knittle's bakery. Reward. 29-3

LOST:—Light silver back comb set with brilliants. On Mabert Road between Mr. Plawg's and street car line. Phone 1406 B. 935 3rd St. Reward. 29-3

LOST:—Amethyst lavalliere at N. & W. station, Sunday. Please leave at drug store, corner 14th and Hutchins for reward. 29-3

LOST—Purse containing about $1 in change on 4th, between Court and Washington. Phone 954-Y or 620 4th St. 30-1t

LOCAL STOCKS FOR SALE

150 shares Vulcan Last Company, preferred.
100 shares Breece Manufacturing Company.
38 shares Mitchell Manufacturing Company.
5 shares Portsmouth College of Business.
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ALLEGATIONS DENIED

Reply of the plaintiff to the answer of the defendant in the $10,000 damage suit of Thomas E. Adams against Jacob Pfau was filed in common pleas court this afternoon by W. R. Sprague, Adams' attorney. In the reply every allegation of the defendant's answer is denied.

GIRLS--DO YOU KNOW WHY YOUR HAIR IS UGLY?

It is astonishing how much good looking hair does toward producing a youthful appearance and still more astonishing to realize how much the attractiveness of the hair is affected by the care we give it.

Loving care and frequent attention are as necessary to keep a woman's hair beautiful and luxuriant as is the tooth brush to keep teeth from decay.

Every woman who values the beauty of her hair as she ought to do should make it a never broken habit to frequently apply a little Parisian Sage, rubbing it briskly into her scalp with the finger tips.

Parisian Sage is Nature's modern handmaid to beautiful feminine hair. It is a simple, harmless compound of wholesome, nutritious ingredients that make an ideal lotion for nourishing both hair and scalp. It feeds and builds up the delicate hair and scalp structures making the hair soft, lustrous, brilliant and easy to dress and arrange. Fisher and Streich and many other of our best druggists sell Parisian Sage and gladly recommend its use.

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U. S. MINISTER TO BELGIUM HOME FOR A REST; WILL RETURN DECEMBER 25

Brand Whitlock, United States minister to Belgium at Brussels, returned home last week for a short rest at his home in Toledo. His return to America, following closely the execution of Miss Edith Cavell, the British nurse, whom he tried to save, has been construed as meaning his retirement at the request of Germany. Mr. Whitlock denies that he has been recalled and has announced that he will return to his post, sailing for Europe December 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Brand Whitlock, photographed since return from Europe.

Garthee Appeal Is Heard In Columbus

The hearing on the appeal of Bird Garthee, local saloonist, who was refused a license by the local board, is being held this afternoon before the state liquor licensing commission at Columbus.

Messrs. David Stahler and F. L. Sikes, of the local board, and C. M. Searl, Garthee's attorneys, are attending the hearing from this city. No decision in the case had been announced late this afternoon.

DEAL MEANS ANOTHER HOME FOR THE HILLTOP

Through a deal closed Tuesday Miss Ella Chick came into possession of Earl Cookes' lot on Highland and Franklin avenues. Its dimensions are 38x120. Miss Chick expects to build a fine home on the lot in the spring.

APPRAISERS REPORT

Report of the appraisers appointed to appraise the real estate of J. H. C. Gray, former local saloonist, who voluntarily made an assignment to W. R. Sprague, of this city, a few months ago, was filed in probate court this afternoon. A house and lot at 204 Nace avenue, Columbus, was appraised at $600. The appraisers were Thomas H. Hennessey, C. W. Seringer and Roy S. Bates, all of Franklin county.

His Crime.

Lawyer—Judge, I want you to fine this man who was knocked down by my client's car. Judge—Fine him? Why? Lawyer—He had a nail in his clothes, and it punctured a new tire—Topeka Journal.

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FRONT AND CHILLICOTHE STS.

SOCIETY

Miss Mae Snook, of Wheelersburg, entertained Saturday afternoon with a children's party in honor of the twelfth birthday anniversary of her sister, Elizabeth. The afternoon was spent in playing games and guessing contests. Although the party was a complete surprise to Elizabeth, the biggest surprise awaited her when she and her little guests were invited to the dining-room, which was beautifully decorated in pink and white. In the center of a long table was a huge birthday cake mounted with twelve pink and white candles. Streamers of pink and white crepe paper extended from the pedestal on which the cake was mounted to each of the guests's place, which were marked with beautifully tinted cards bearing the name of each guest. After delicious refreshments of ice cream and cake were served in the dining-room, pink and white bon-bons and pop-corn balls were served to the little guests in the living room, just before they departed for home. All wished Elizabeth many more happy birthdays. Each guest presented her with a pretty present in memory of the event. Those present were Elizabeth and Wells Snook, Mildred and Alma Dutiel, Helen Mackoy, Eleanor Dold, Clara and Emma Sauers, Lucile Burke, Frances McCowen, Edna Andre and Gladys Hughes.

Misses Mary and Tamzin Pursell, who are spending the winter in Tarpon Springs, Florida, are enjoying the semi-tropical climate and genial surroundings. Their health is good and they meet many charming people. Their friends have received beautiful post-cards from them.

Miss Millie Sullivan returned Monday from Carrs, Ky., where she attended a house party given in honor of her sister, Miss Anna Sullivan, who is visiting at the home of Mrs. Samuel Bierley. Among the out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bierley and son Harold, of Portsmouth.

Mrs. Dora Robinson and daughter, Alberta, of Eighth stret, have returned from a week-end visit with relatives in Rome, Adams county.

Mrs. George Williams, of the West Side, will return Tuesday from New York City, where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. R. O. Orcutt, for the past six weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Glynn and two sons and Mrs. P. J. Rogan and son, Henry, of Wellston, motored to this city Sunday. They were the guests of Miss Anna Gleason, of Third street.

Mrs. Charles Lytle, of Flemingsburg, Ky., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Don Clark, on New Seventh street.

Mrs. E. F. Rideout and Mrs. H. D. Williams, of Manly Woman's Home Missionary Society, left this morning for Columbus to attend the conference convention.

Mrs. Robert J. Barry came home last evening after a few days' visit with relatives in Columbus.

Mrs. Wesley Kinney and baby daughter will arrive tomorrow from Cincinnati to visit until after Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Varner. Mr. Kinney will join his wife here for Christmas.

Miss Mary Margaret Fuller will leave tomorrow for a visit with relatives in Marietta.

The Scioto Bridge Club will be entertained Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John A. Grimes, on Second street.

The coffee social to be held at the German Evangelical church Wednesday afternoon, from two until five o'clock, will be in honor of Mrs. Mary Fastenau, who will be 80 years of age on that day. All friends are invited.

Mr. Charles Cook and Mr. Herschel Hazelbaker, of Buena Vista, are guests of the Misses Zelma Knauff and Mary Knauff.

Mrs. George Kricker, who was badly burned last week, was able to be out today for the first time.

Miss Mary Forrest is expected home soon from Syracuse, N. Y., where she has been spending the past two months with relatives and friends.

Miss Sadie Kricker leaves tomorrow for San Diego, Cal., where she will spend the winter.

The pretty home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Rardin, of Waller street, is the scene of a beautiful dinner this evening, the occasion being the christening of their little grand-son, Jared Joseph Rardin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Rardin, the little one being named for the two grandfathers, Jared for Mr. Rardin, and Joseph for Mr. Joseph Brant. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Brant and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brant, of Lucasville, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Rardin and little son, "Jed," Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rardin and little daughter, Marcella, Rev. and Mrs. Charles Chandler and Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Dillon. The christening ceremony was said by Rev. Mr. Dillon, assisted by Rev. Mr. Chandler.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Fourth Stret Methodist church will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles Winter, who will be assisted by Miss Mary Helt and Mrs. George Carroll.

The Relief Fund Society of the German Evangelical church will meet in regular session Thursday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. There will be business of importance.

Miss Gretta Goddard, who has been visiting her cousin, Mrs. Earl Rardin, has gone to her home in Wellston.

Mrs. George Collins has returned to her rooms in the Damarin building after spending several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Albert Brooks, on Waller street.

Miss Helen Atlas will entertain a few friends this evening at her home on Timmonds avenue in honor of her guest, Miss Esther Rosenfeld, of Alabama.

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A WARNING TO EVERY GIRL
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Columbia Tomorrow

The Trinity Methodist King's Son's and Daughters' deferred meeting will be held next Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Virgie Thomas, on Eighth street. All members are urged to be present and pay their dues as the quarterly report must be sent in by December 9th. The program committee is Mrs. O. C. Arthurs, Misses Hattie Long, Fancy Davis, Carrie Payton.

Among the women who went to Columbus to attend the Woman's Home Missionary conference convention were Mesdames J. M. Graham, Arthur Willey, Terry Davenport, Earl Lawson, W. S. Walker, W. L. Bayless, C. T. Davis, J. B. Mayo, J. R. Cunningham, E. F. Rideout, H. D. Williams.

Miss Agnes Turner, who has been visiting Miss Carrie Elizabeth Pfarr, will leave tomorrow for her home in Wait's Station.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rhodes, of East Ninth street, are entertaining Mrs. Ida Cole, of New Boston, for a few days.

The Trinity Methodist Woman's Home Missionary Society will hold a bazaar and bake sale Saturday all day at Prichard's, on Gallia street.

Mrs. Ralph Loft, who has been ill for the past two weeks, is slowly improving.

The Bigelow turkey supper and bazaar will be held at the church Thursday, December 9th.

Mrs. Charles W. Glockner had as visitors over Sunday at her beautiful home at 1545 Sixth street, her sister, Miss Anna Schachleiter, of Ironton, and her cousin, Mrs. Ted Wertheim, of Cincinnati.

Mrs. Walter Patterson was hostess at last evening's meeting of the Monday Evening Kensington Club at her home on Second street. Art needlework was followed by refreshments. The place for the next meeting was not decided.

The Thursday Afternoon Kensington Club will be entertained Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Joseph Lake, on Fourth street.

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Oil of wintergreen, thymol, glycerine and other healing ingredients compounded in proper proportion into the D. D. D. Prescription has now become the universal favorite of skin sufferers in relieving and curing skin disease. It is a mild wash that penetrates the pores and gives instant relief from all burning and itching. It kills and washes off the gnawing disease germs, leaving the skin free to quickly heal.

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NOMINATION OF "GEEK" OFFICERS

The "Geeks" anticipate one large time at their meeting to be held in Harugari hall, Gay and Gallia street, Friday evening of this week. One of the most important features of the meeting will be the nomination of officers for the ensuing year. At the conclusion of the business session, the meeting will be adjourned for a "social session," when an elegant buffet lunch will be served. That the eatings will be in keeping with the dignity of the occasion is a positive fact, for Albert Maier is chairman of the social committee and that means that things will be done in style. All members are earnestly requested to be present at the meeting, which will start promptly at 7:30 o'clock.

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$30.00	Made-to-Order Suits and Overcoats	$25.00
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$37.50	Made-to-Order Suits and Overcoats	$30.00
$40.00	Made-to-Order Suits and Overcoats	$32.50
$45.00	Made-to-Order Suits and Overcoats	$37.50
$50.00	Made-to-Order Suits and Overcoats	$40.00

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NEW BOSTON

At the regular meeting of the Jr. O. U. A. M. Monday evening the second nomination of officers was held, but no new names were added to the list nominated one week ago. It was decided to have the dedication of Stanton avenue school take place at two o'clock Sunday afternoon. All Juniors will meet at the hall at nine o'clock when they will march in a body to the school and decorate. Rev. Morris Bridwell will deliver a talk for the Junior Order.

Invitations have been sent to all surroundings camps of the Junior Order and Daughters of America. The auditorium is expected to be filled to the overflowing Sunday.

Green Ward has opened a grocery in the front part of his home on Harrisonville avenue.

The foundation and cellar for the new home Frank Wolfe, Jr., is having erected on Harrisonville avenue, are completed. The new dwelling will replace the Wolfe home destroyed by fire on last Labor Day evening.

Miss May Jenkins, 18, of Stewartsville, who was united in marriage Monday to Elba Shears, 23, of Star Yards, were given an old-fashioned belling Monday night at the home of Miss Jenkins. The belling crowd did not cease their racket at the Jenkins' home but continued onto the home of another happy couple, Miss Blanche Russell, 18, and Dudley Carpenter, 23, of Marietta, who were married Monday. The grooms are steel workers.

Mrs. Ira Shafer has taken charge of the D. M. Hale lunch room in the Balmer building on Gallia street.

Frank Beli, formerly in charge of Hale's restaurant, has taken a position as clerk in the D. M. Hale grocery.

Every member of the W. O. W. lodge should be present Thursday evening to enjoy the big banquet and smoker that is to follow the annual election of officers. This meeting will be for members only. A chicken and oyster supper will be followed by a smoker.

John Pondesed, foreigner, arrested for assaulting a fellow countryman Saturday, was given a hearing Monday. He was fined $4.80 and refused his 20 cents change out of a $5 note, saying that he would get a lawyer. He persisted in using bad language and talking back to Mayor Davis when his Honor told him to go. Mayor Davis ordered him locked up on a contempt of court charge. He is still behind the bars.

Virginia and Harley Hurley and Roxie Richardson, of Rhodes avenue, have returned from a visit to the William Tatman home in McDermott.

Mrs. James Richardson and Mrs. J. A. Hurley were guests for dinner Monday at the home of Mrs. Charles Hurley, on Second street, in Portsmouth.

Will Jenkins and family, of Gallia street, are the guests of relatives near White Gravel.

John Snyder arrested Saturday night for an alleged assault upon Ferman Everling, appeared for trial Monday evening, but on account of Everling failing to appear, the trial was postponed.

Thomas Eblin arrested Saturday evening on a drunk charge, was fined $1.80 by Mayor Davis Monday.

The village officers raided a house on lower Rhodes avenue, Saturday night. The men who were supposed to be at the home made their escape or else the officers were given a bad tip.

PRICES MURDERED FOR WEDNESDAY

1 bbl Ben Hur Flour	$6
1 lb. Fancy Smoked Bacon, by the side	15c
1 lb. Sugar Cured Ham, Wednesday only, by the ham	10c
15 lb. Butter Beans	$1.00
15 lbs. 10c Rice	$1.00
50 lb. can Pure Hog Lard	$5.48
Fancy Spring Chickens, per lb	18c
2 lbs. 30c per lb. ground Karavan coffee, for	35c
100 lb. fresh Cabbage	75c
1 lb. Fancy Breakfast Bacon, by the side	17½c
6 cans Sweet Clover Corn	25c
1 lb. Worley's Best Spring Wheat Flour	$5.90

Deliveries made to the city.

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Times Have Changed.

Flo, aged ten, paying a visit to Aunt Edith, was describing a birthday party she had attended the day before. "And Maude, who gave the party, said to me: 'Oh, Flo, you're got on the same dress you wore to my party the last time! I suppose your mother couldn't afford to buy you a new dress this year?'" Aunt Edith laid her hand caressingly on Flo's curls and gently asked: "Of course, dear, you didn't remain at the party after that? If a little girl had made such a remark to me when I was your age I should have gone right home!" "Well, auntie," Flo replied, "times have changed. I slapped her face and stayed!"—London Express.

A Small Percentage.

City Man—How many servants do you keep? Suburbanite—About one out of twelve.—Buffalo Express

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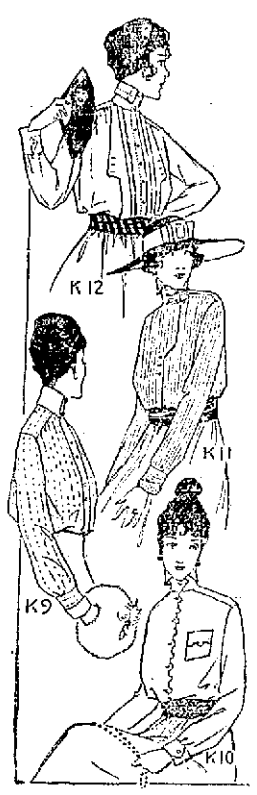

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Always Worth More

DOESN'T it mean a lot to you to know that these waists are placed on sale here the very same day that they are first offered for sale in the recognized style centers of the country? And isn't it gratifying to you to know that waists of this character can always be bought at this very moderate price? These waists have through their very goodness and inherent merit their excellence of style and real service value established for themselves the proud position of the finest and best among all inexpensive waists. There's but one Wirthmor Waist. Don't confuse it with any other and it's on sale here and here only.

Wirthmor Waists are always $1.00 and judged by the usual waist standards are worth much more. New styles on sale tomorrow.

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Many women are doing their Xmas glove buying now, thereby getting the best selections.

LAMBSKIN GLOVES $1.25
Imported quality, the best lambskin glove made, in black, white, browns, greens, navy, tan and gray $1.25.

REAL KID GLOVES $1.50
Ronsard make, the same splendid glove we have been selling for years; no increase in price. A complete assortment of colors and sizes, $1.00.

CHILDREN'S LEATHER GLOVES 50c AND 75c
White leather, wool lined, a good warm glove, sizes 00 to 2 50c, 3 to 6 75c pair.

REAL KID GLOVES $1.75
A splendid quality black kid glove with white trimming, all sizes, only $1.75. Many dealers are asking $2.00 for this same glove.

DRIVING GLOVES $1.25
For men and women, comes in black only, with large gauntlet and is fleeced lined. A good warm serviceable driving glove for only $1.25 the pair.

BOYS' LEATHER GLOVES 50c
In tan and gray leather with knit wrist, large sizes, a splendid glove at 50c the pair.

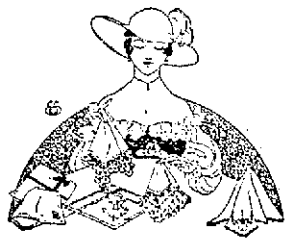
Handkerchiefs For Gift Giving

A large variety in lace and embroidered, also initials and plain, for women, men and children.

CHILDREN'S INITIAL KERCHIEFS, 3 IN BOX 12c.

Women's Kerchiefs, with colored initials in assorted designs, special, 6 for 35c.

Men's Linen Kerchiefs, initials in tiffany design, 25 cents each, $1.40 for box of six.



MARTING'S FUR OPENING TOMORROW IS THE LAST DAY FOR THIS WONDERFUL DISPLAY OF FUR COATS, FUR SETS AND SEPARATE MUFFS. COME SEE IT.

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Between the Hours of 2 and 5 P. M., and in the Evening From 7 Until 9 O'clock

Our Green Ticket sale is without a doubt the most popular of all sales, for our customers are asking us daily when our next sale will be. All articles have special green tickets on them with prices marked on them in plain black figures. The prices asked are less than one half for what others ask for the same articles. Remember this sale, as these prices are good for only tomorrow between the hours of 2 and 5 p. m., and tomorrow evening between 7 and 9 o'clock.

A FEW VALUES

Suctoin Carpet Sweeper $2.75
42 Piece Dinner Set, white and gold .. $2.90
Solid Oak Kitchen Cabinet, large and roomy $10.75
Library Tables, fumed or golden $7.75

Buffets, 52 inch $12.50
Mantle Mirrors, 18x40, French beveled mirror, fancy frame $14.25
Oak Davenports $12.75
Six Foot Dining Room Tables, solid oak $4.95

Solid Oak Dressers $5.90
Chiffioniers $4.75
Genuine Leather Davenette $29.00
Solid Oak Rockers, full leather back and seat $8.75

Iron Beds, 62 in. high with brass foot and head board $2.95
All Steel Springs, bronze finish $2.75
Three Piece Parlor Suits $13.75
Standard Sewing Machines $13.85

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JUNIORS WON SPIRITED DEBATE FROM SENIORS

Three to one in favor of the Juniors was the way the judges, Solicitor-elect Anselm Skelton, Judge Harry Ball and Editor F. W. Meyers of the Morning Star, decided the debate in the high school auditorium Monday night between the Seniors and Juniors. The evening's program was given as a benefit for the High School News. Nearly 400 were present.

The Juniors, represented by Marion Garrison, Harry Davidson, and Cecil Tidd and Maurice Schapiro, alternate, had the negative side of the argument while the Seniors on the affirmative side were represented by Russell Williams, John Higgins and Hobart Samson with Richard Prince, alternate.

The question debated was "Resolved, That Suffrage Should Be Restricted By Educational Qualifications."

As the curtains were pulled aside the members of the Senior and Junior classes gave yells for their respective classes and then for the different teachers of the faculty. The program was opened by David Jones playing an excellent piano solo.

While the debaters were preparing their rebuttals the audience was favored with a cornet solo by William Trone with David Jones as accompanist.

The debaters were allowed eight minutes each for their opening arguments and three minutes each for rebuttal.

Russell Williams opened the debate. Williams said: "The educational qualification asked for is nothing less than being able to read and write." His part of the argument was to show the necessity of a restriction. "It is just to all concerned. Foreigners on becoming naturalied citizens have to show they can read, which is an admittance that the government wants educated voters. To vote correctly one must be well informed. To get proper results the voter must be educated. Seven percent of the voters of the United States cannot read or write. What we are asking is a much needed reform."

Marion Garrison opened the argument for the Juniors. He showed why there should not be a restriction on suffrage. He said: "We are opposed to any and all educational restrictions on suffrage. It would increase expenses in not allowing the ignorant to vote would be the formation of a democracy; the ignorant would have no voice in saying as to who shall govern them and make their laws; all are equal and have equal rights."

John Higgins was the second speaker for the affirmative. His part was to show the efficiency gained by an educational restriction. "Better laws, more efficient administrators of public affairs and a more efficient form of government will be gained by placing a restriction upon suffrage. With educated men voting the best official will be chosen. An educated man knows more of officials and will cast his vote accordingly. We cannot get an efficient government if a man votes and does not know for what he is voting."

Harry Davidson for the negative argued that an educational restriction was unadvisable and unpracticable. "Those who are deprived of their right to vote will be branded as outcasts and unfit associates, they will be disgraced and humiliated. A house divided against itself cannot stand. Divide the voters and there will be a fall of this country. A restriction will not remedy the voting evil of today, that of selling votes. The educated man sells his vote for a higher price, for his own personal gain. In Adams county educated and uneducated alike sold their votes: the educated receiving the most money for their votes," the speaker asserted.

Hobart Samson's part was to show that a restriction upon suffrage is practicable and just. "A man does not have to require an education; all we ask is that he be able to read and write. The election judge could conduct the examination when the man goes in the booth to mark his ballot. Education is practicable and an educational qualification is practicable."

Cecil Tidd concluded the opening arguments. "It would be taking away the liberty for which our forefathers fought." "Our ancestors would not stand for England placing arestriction upon them." The ignorant have helped give this country a strong government."

The rebuttals were spirited, but the points advanced by the Juniors so far outshone the Senior's arguments that the judges had little trouble in deciding upon the winners.

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SOCIETY

The Otterbein society of the United Brethren church will meet this evening, at 7:30 o'clock, at the home of Miss Minnie Chabot, on Eighth street. Towels will be made and sent to the Otterbein Home and Orphanage at Dayton, O. as Christmas presents.

A special invitation is given to attend the Ladies' Aid Society's annual coffee social in the Sunday school dining-room of the German Evangelical church Wednesday afternoon, as one of the oldest members of the society, Mrs. Mary Fastenau, will celebrate her 80th birthday anniversary.

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A water main burst occurred in the Peebles addition Tuesday afternoon, greatly reducing the pressure. The situation was made all the more acute by the fact that only one pump was in service at the pumping station.

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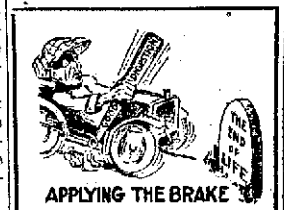
EXPORTS INCREASE

San Antonio, Texas, Nov. 30—Exports to Mexico took a big jump during the week of November 21 to 27 and consisted chiefly of food and machinery, according to figures made public today by border ports of entry.



APPLYING THE BRAKE TO POOR DIGESTION

Is Hastening Millions On Towards End of Life.

If every person in the world could be properly impressed with the simple facts here explained it is probable that millions of lives would be greatly prolonged as a result. The vast majority of fatal diseases are contracted by people who have had indigestion. The indigestion does not cause the other diseases but indigestion interferes with nourishment of the body and thus weakens the system. And a run down, weakened system is susceptible to typhoid fever, pneumonia, and many other fatal diseases. Nearly every case of indigestion is due partly or wholly to eating foods that cause an abnormal acid secretion in the stomach. The excess acid causes the food to ferment. And fermenting food cannot properly digest. The fermentation causes distress, sourness, belching, distention of the stomach by gas headache, dizziness, and sometimes nausea. As the excess acid causes the fermentation and the fermentation causes indigestion the one and only logical thing to do in any such case is to neutralize the excess acid with an antacid. Thus you overcome the CAUSE of your indigestion. The best antacid is plain bisurated magnesia which you can buy from any druggist. It is palatable, inexpensive, and harmless. Take a teaspoonful of bisurated magnesia in a quarter glass of water after each meal and see if it won't make you immune from indigestion. As there are several form of magnesia be sure to ask The Fisher and Streich Pharmacy or any other druggist for the BISURATED magnesia.

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"GREEN TICKET" SALE TOMORROW, WEDNESDAY

At the request of quite a number of customers and friends, Hansen Bros., located in the Seel building, Second street, have decided to conduct another of their popular "Green Ticket Sales" tomorrow, Wednesday, between the hours of 2 and 5 p. m., and in the evening between 7 and 9 o'clock. During this sale every article will be ticketed with a green tag and the prices marked in plain black figures. The prices asked for practically every article in the store will be about one half of the price asked in other furniture stores in this city. The hours of the sale will be rigidly adhered to, and if you want to purchase furniture at a saving of 50 per cent less than others ask, come to Hansen Bros' store tomorrow, between the hours named. Don't fail, at least, to come and inspect the big values whether you purchase or not. The sale has been the biggest winner ever attempted in the city, and tomorrow it is thought hundreds will take advantage of the opportunity. adv.

CUPID GETS BUSY

Dan Cupid is making a Garrison finish in the closing months of the year. At three o'clock this afternoon 64 marriage licenses had been issued during the month of November as against 45 in November of last year, a gain of over 40 per cent. October also showed a big gain over last year. The first six months of the year showed a loss as compared with the same months last year.

Red Cross Seals Are Being Sold Rapidly

Mrs. George W. Grimes, chairman of the finance committee of the Anti-Tuberculosis League, announces that 5,400 Red Cross Seals have ben sold outright, purchasers including Selby Shoe Company, Drew Shoe Company, Excelsior Shoe Company, Whitaker-Glessner Company, Times Publishing Company, Marting Bros. Co., Anderson Bros. Co., Bragdon Dry Goods Co., A. Brunner & Sons, Standard Supply Company and the First National Bank.

Red Cross Seals are on sale at the Marting Bros. Co., Anderson Bros. Co., Bragdon Dry Goods Company, A. Brunner & Sons, Freund's, Hager's, Nye's, Miller's, Wurster's and Fisher and Streich drug stores, W. W. Reilly & Company's book store, Tower Book store, Corner Book store and the Herms Floral Company store. People who have not purchased Red Cross Seals are urged to buy a supply at one of these stores and use them on their Christmas packages, thus aiding a worthy cause. Eighty per cent of the proceeds goes to the local society and 20 per cent to the state society.

Is After Saloon

William Alcorn, a well-to-do Buena Vista farmer, has opened negotiations for the purchase of the W. J. Bullman company's liquor store at 508 Second street, which is still in the hands of a receiver.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Watkins, of 1223 Third street, are the proud parents of a baby boy weighing eleven pounds, born at five o'clock last evening. This is the second boy in the Watkins home. Mr. Watkins is salesman for the Standard Supply Company.

A son was born recently to Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Torrence of Eighth street and they are the proud parents of two girls and a boy. The latest arrival in the family has been named Franklin Carl. Mr. Torrence is employed by the River City Lumber company.

A son was born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Parker of Front street. Mr. Parker is a shoeworker.

ALL ANXIOUS TO PAY UP

The city water works office was the scene of a big rush Tuesday, water consumers eager to avail themselves of the opportunity for the discount on rentals, the limit for which expires tonight. The office will remain open until 8 o'clock this evening.

To Wed

At a one o'clock luncheon given this afternoon by Miss Martha Spencer at her home on Gallia street the engagement of Miss Bruele Rigdon popular local school teacher, and Oscar Riggs, C. & O. inspector at Russell, Ky., was formally announced.

OBITUARY

C. K. Davis.

Of the death of C. K. Davis, former prominent Wellston resident and brother of Mrs. Vaughn Shires of Portsmouth, the Jackson Sun says:

"The untimely death of C. K. Davis, coal operator and prominent business man at his home in Detroit, Michigan came as a great shock to his many friends. Although his health had not been very good he was not thought to be in a serious condition.

"He was born in Tennessee 42 years ago. In 1893 he married Miss Blanche Lucas of Glen Roy who died several years ago. In 1907 he married Mrs. Emily Allen of Detroit, Mich. He is survived by his wife, his mother, two sisters, Mrs. Vaughn Shires of Portsmouth and Mrs. Dorothy Sellards of Detroit and one brother George B. Davis, of Wellston.

"Mr. Davis was the owner of the Alma Coal Mine which operated near Glen Roy for many years. He built the Alma Cement Plant and also had other interests in the county. He was an active business men, and his influence will be missed by his associates.

"The remains were brought to Wellston Saturday. Services held in the Presbyterian church Sunday at 2 p. m.

Virginia Helen Karnes.

Virginia Helen, bright little two year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Karnes of 507 Glover street, died Tuesday morning of nephritis. Funeral services will be conducted from the Holy Redeemer church Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Interment in Greenlawn.

Henry C. Ambrose

Relative to the death of Henry C. Ambrose, who recently passed away at his home in Hillsboro, the News-Herald of that city in a recent issue said:

"In the death of Henry C. Ambrose Thursday evening at seven o'clock Hillsboro lost one of its best citizens. He had been very ill with hardening of the arteries for a week and the end was not unexpected. The funeral services were held at the Methodist church Sunday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock conducted by Rev. Earl R. Slutz. Burial was made in the Hillsboro cemetery. He is survived by four children, Mrs. Baxter Cunningham, of Portsmouth, Frank R. Ambrose, of Columbus and Mrs. Clara Brunner and William C. Ambrose, of this city.

"He was 71 years of age and a veteran of the Civil War. For many years Mr. Ambrose had been one of the leading citizens of Hillsboro, with his son William, conducting the Economy Store. For ten years he had been a member of the village council and had been re-elected at the last election. While modest and retiring he was a man of strong character and through his uprightness, honesty and ability won and held the friendship of a wide circle of acquaintances. It was always a pleasure to meet Mr. Ambrose. He was always the same polite, agreeable, kindly gentleman. There seemed to be no rancor of enmity towards any man in his make up, but good will and love for all his fellowmen. A brave soldier, a good citizen, a true christian has passed to his reward.

C. K. Davis

Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn Shiers and son, Lamar, of Lincoln street, were called to Wellston, Saturday, to attend the funeral of Mrs. Shiers' brother, C. K. Davis, who died at Detroit, Michigan. The funeral was held at Wellston, Sunday.

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Appointments Of Mayor-Elect Will Soon Be Made Public, Scramble Is On For The Offices

Mayor-elect H. H. Kaps informed a Times representative this afternoon that the majority of his appointments would be made known within the next twenty-four hours. He added that he had virtually decided upon the majority of them.

Ralph Calvert was tipped today as the most likely choice for the position of service director, but the mayor-elect refused to commit himself on that office. He assumed the same attitude on the other appointments about which he was questioned.

It was learned however, from a reliable source that E. K. S. Clinkenbeard and William Sellards were avowed applicants for the position of Safety Director, with the probability that Sellards would be turned down and that Clinkenbeard would be given the place. There was some talk that Sellards would be given the service directorship, but this rumor lacked sufficient weight to be given much consideration.

It is practically assured that Charles Hancock will be given his old place as chief of the fire department, and that the position of chief of police will go to John Eckhart in the event that he fails to land the appointment as county liquor license commissioner. Friends of E. E. Hise, the street car motorman and labor leader, are making a strong fight in his behalf, and seem confident that he will be chosen to succeed Chief Allen. Thomas Evans, a Hibbs Hardware Company employee, is also being mentioned today as a likely choice.

The race for city engineer is between four applicants, according to the most reliable information, Samuel Harper, who held the place under former Mayor F. N. Tynes, Harold Wendelken, of the state highway department, Arthur Harwood, deputy county surveyor, and W. H. Monahan, in the engineering department of the Whitaker-Glessner Steel Company.

For superintendent of the street cleaning department, Henry Ruel is the most prominently mentioned, although it is rumored that John Capehart is being considered for the place.

John Williams, of the Scioto Sand Company, is touted as a sure winner for one of the assistant directorships. Henry Cline is also said to have the position of clerk to the safety director and civil service commission, now held by Fred W. Baesman, cinched.

Mayor-elect Kaps has established an office in Room 711 of the First National Bank building, which he will occupy until he takes his office on January 1st.

MR. MAIER'S NEPHEW IS KILLED IN BATTLE

August Maier, well known retired brewery agent, received word Tuesday that a nephew, Emil Oswald, was killed in battle while fighting against the Russians in Poland recently.

The sad news was contained in a letter from Mr. Maier's sister, Mrs. Louise Oswald, of Riehheim, Germany. The soldier boy was her youngest son. Besides him, Mr. Maier has six other nephews fighting in the German army ranks.

Mrs. Oswald in her letters gives a graphic description of conditions in her home town, due to the war. All of the able-bodied men are at the front and the women work in the fields and do all manual work. She says all of the women are earnestly hoping and praying that the big conflict will be brought to an early end.

Mr. Maier, himself, is detained at his home, No. 506 Sixth street, with a severe cold.

HAS OPENED OFFICE

Robert C. Byers, formerly of Columbus, has opened up a sales and advertising agency in the Baron block, over the Schwartz Clothing store. He will make a specialty of electrical devices. He was formerly president of the Columbus Advertising Club.

DR. G. A. SULZER
In Portsmouth Thursdays and Fridays. Office 940 East Second Street. Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat. adv.

WEDDING AT JACKSON

G. W. Harbarger, of Jackson, was married last Wednesday evening to Miss Mary Estella Stephenson, also of Jackson. The groom taught school in southern Ohio for many years. He married his first wife 30 years ago this month. She died a number of years ago. The wedding caused quite a sensation in Jackson, according to the Jackson Sun.

Lester Nutter Won Over Leon Wilson

Lester Nutter, speed man on the P. H. S. football eleven, was chosen captain of the 1916 team at a meeting held by the 17 lettered men Tuesday afternoon. Nutter plays right end. Fullback Leon Wilson received 8 votes and Nutter 9.

Neglect And Cruelty Charged In Petition

Gross neglect of duty and extreme cruelty are alleged in the divorce petition of Elmo H. Lewis, husband of Margaret Lewis, filed this afternoon in common pleas court by Attorney N. B. Gilliland. The plaintiff was defendant in a divorce suit filed by his wife about a month ago, which was later withdrawn.

GARRISON SHARPLY ARRAIGNS MR. TAFT FOR STATEMENTS ABOUT PHILIPPINES

Washington, Nov. 30—Secretary Garrison, of the war department, in a formal statement sharply arraigns former President William H. Taft for having lent his name to what are termed "statements mendacious in character and mischievous in intent" with relation to conditions in the Philippine Islands under the present administration. Circulation of these statements, Mr. Garrison charges, show plainly "that the Republican politicians are attempting to lay the foundation for campaign material with respect to the Philippine Islands."

Particular attention is given by the secretary to articles written by O. Garfield Jones and published in a California newspaper and later republished in pamphlet form under the title, "Unhappy Conditions in the Philippine Islands," with an introduction by Mr. Taft. The introduction attributed the conditions described to the "blind and foolish policy of President Wilson and Governor General Harrison."

In connection with his comment, Mr. Garrison makes public a letter which he says was written recently by Jones to the department, asking where a newspaper market might be found for a "much better article" which he had prepared on "The Filipinos and the Democratic Regime," declared to be highly favorable to the administration.

British Casualties

London, Nov. 30.—British casualty lists published during November total 1,232 officers, 45,184 non-commissioned officers and men in all fields of war bring the total since the beginning of hostilities to approximately 600,000.

ASSIGNING MEMBERS TO VARIOUS COMMITTEES

Washington, D. C., Nov. 30—Democrats of the house ways and means committee met again today to assign members of committees in continuation of the work of organization for the coming session of congress. It will probably take several days before the assignments can be worked out.

The committee has tentatively agreed to add one member to the ways and means, appropriation, military, naval and judiciary committee.

The special rules committe of the senate, of which Senator Owens, of Oklahoma, is chairman, met today to decide on the form of cloture rule to be laid before the caucus for the senate Democrats.

The house special budget committee failed to reach an agreement at its meeting last night on any specific plan.

Bible Class Plans For Annual Banquet

The Men's Bible class of the Second Presbyterian church, John E. T. Spencer, teacher, will give their annual banquet in the church dining room Friday evening, December 10. The committee in charge is Jacob Hoffstetter, Bryson West and Louis Williams, and they expect 250 guests, including every member of the class, their wives or friends. The banquet promises to be a splendid affair.

Owls Nominated Officers For 1916

Following the routine business session Monday evening, the Owls nominated officers. The nomination will be held open until next Monday night, when the officers will be elected. Following the election there will be a social affair and smoker at the expense of John Knost, a recent bridegroom, and member of the order. Following are the members nominated: President, Grover Barr, Charles Hartman, Albert Haag; vice-president, Albert Haag, John Knost; inventor, Lee Ferguson, Warren Riddlebarger; warden, H. C. Smith, William Rudy; sentinel, Lee Ferguson; picket, Walter Hughes, Hayes James; secretary, William Miller; treasurer, George Schroeder; trustees, Warren Riddlebarger, Roy McElhaney, Fred Goltz, John Knost, F. Trende.

Grover Barr, the present presiding officer, is up for reelection.

Waiting On Arrival Of Girl's Father

Miss Ava Ferguson, a pretty 17-year-old Huntington, Va., girl, has been in the custody of the local police officials since Monday afternoon when she was detained on a wire from Chief Sam Davis, of that city.

A message from Huntington stated the girl had run away from home with a man but it soon developed that this was a mistake and that she was with a party of men and women solicitors who expected to canvass the city for a magazine house. She had been in the employ of the concern's field man for the past two weeks. Later her father was communicated with and he asked that she be held until his arrival, saying he would reach Portsmouth Thursday morning. Accordingly she was permitted to spend the night at a local hotel. True to her promise she reported at police headquarters early Tuesday and was given the freedom of the place. The father had not yet arrived Tuesday afternoon.

Ike Farley Lands

Word came from Columbus Tuesday that Ike Farley, colored, and a former resident of this city, had been made deputy coser bailiff in the municipal court at a salary of $600 per year.

If you have a room which is not occupied you should be using TIMES WANT ADS.

Edna Mayo & Bryant Washburn Teach A Great Lesson In
"THE BLINDNESS OF VIRTUE"
Columbia Tomorrow

The Ladias' Suits
Coats and Dresses and the Men's Suits and Overcoats selling at
The WHEN
are warm and the most stylish in town. Try them. One price clothing house.

Pony Team Runs Away

Chester Wallace's pony team took fright at a passing automobile at Third and Market streets and started to run away Tuesday afternoon. A pedestrian stopped them just as they were getting under way.

ARE YOU SATISFIED WITH YOUR STOMACH?
Do you want a better one—one that won't belch gas, or turn sour, or feel heavy, or make you feel miserable?
MI-O-NA
For Indigestion
It relieves stomach distress in five minutes. It assists old, unsatisfactory, rebellious stomachs to work like new ones, ever ready to digest the heartiest meal.
Mi-o-na Tablets are guaranteed to give satisfaction, or money back
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Albert Zoellner's Special
A fine white diamond in a 14 karat Tiffany mounting.
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Does Not Rub Off, Lasts 4 Times as Long as Others, Saves Work.
Get a Can Today

Railroad Men
Select that Coat, Dress or Suit for "her" now. We'll deliver it when you say. "One price to all."
The WHEN

Just As Expected:
Winter Is Here
Are you prepared for the Wind and Snow? If not, come here for warm, dependable, snappy and serviceable
Suits, Overcoats Underwear, Sweaters
I handle nothing but guaranteed clothing and furnishings---you can't go wrong here.
ALWAYS SOMETHING NEW
Corner Fifth and Chillicothe Sts.
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WATCH MY WINDOWS

If It Isn't a Skating Costume It Isn't The Newest Style

See Our Skating Window

New York, Pittsburgh, Chicago and all the big cities are wild over ice skating. All the late shows have skating scenes and each city has one or more large ice rinks where experts demonstrate fancy and figure skating and men and women skate themselves. This has caused designers to make everything that can be used as a skating costume and everything else is passe.

Our New York buyer has supplied us with the newest in this mode, including coats, fur sets, suits, dresses, skirts and Angora long scarf sets. Be sure to see them. They've been arriving all week.

Lovely Skating Coats At $12.75

Beautiful corduroy and fancy mixture coats with the high chin barying choker collar, trimmed in fur that will keep the winter breezes away at only $12.75

FineSkating Suits At $19.75

In poplins, gabardines, whipcords and broadcloths in all the newest shades with the high fur trimmed "chin-chin" collar at $19.75

Lovely Skating Sets, consisting of tight fitting cap and large scarf, from 50c the set to $1.98 the set.

Handsome Fur Skating Sets in all furs and price.

Even if you can't skate you must have skating costume.

ONLY 21 SHOPPING DAYS TILL XMAS

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JOFFRE MAY BE SUPREME COMMANDER

London, Nov. 30.—Field Marshal Sir John French of the British forces on the western front was in London yesterday and conferred with Premier Asquith.

So far as the public knows, Field Marshal French has not been in London since he paid a secret visit to the British capital late in January. He conferred with the British and French war ministers at Calais on July 6.

Earl Kitchener, British secretary of war, was in Paris yesterday. There have been reports that a movement was on foot to place General Joffre, the French leader, in supreme command of the Franco-British forces on the western front, but London has denied there was any foundation for them.

Not Permitted To Enter Belgium

Jersey City, No. Y., Nov. 30—Major Wallace Winchell, of this city, who was selected by General Bramwell Booth as head of the Salvation Army relief work in Belgium, has been denied permission by the German government to enter that country, according to information received here by his wife.

Major Winchell is an American.

ELKS AWARD CONTRACTS

At a meeting of the board of governors the Portsmouth Lodge B. P. O. Elks held Monday night a contract for the silverware to be used in the kitchen and dining room was awarded to Jeweler J. F. Carr, the linen contract to the Joseph G. Reed company and the kitchen equipment, including a huge warming table and coffee urn, were given to the Van Stove and Rungo company of Cincinnati.

WILL GO TO BATAVIA

M. A. Coe, who enters upon his work with the state bureau of public accounting tomorrow, received instructions today from Auditor of State Donahey to go to Batavia tomorrow to conduct an examination of the Clermont county offices. He will be there about three weeks, after which he will be assigned to work in Cincinnati.

BE HEALTHY, HAPPY, VIGOROUS

Trembling, Nervous Prostration and that Tired Feeling Vanish After a Treatment of Ambition Pills

Every run down, weakened, tired out nervous person in Portsmouth is invited to go to Wurster Bros. this very day and get a 50 cent box of Wendell's Ambition Pills.

And Wurster Bros. and dealers everywhere are authorized to refund the purchase price to every buyer if he is dissatisfied with the first box purchased.

Don't delay. Thousands have regained vigor, ambition and energy by the use of one box of Wendell's Ambition Pills.

Get them and take them for any nervous trouble, weakness, headaches, hysteria, neuralgia, exhausted vitality, sleeplessness, kidney, liver or stomach ailments, and for constipation. They will make any one feel fine, happy and vigorous in a few days. Mail orders filled, charges prepaid, by The Wendell Pharmacal Company, Inc., Syracuse, N. Y.

The Ladies' Suits

Coats and Dresses and the Men's Suits and Overcoats selling at

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are warm and the most stylish in town. Try them. One price clothing house.

Manufacturer's Sale and Demonstration

Golconda Diamonds

This sale and demonstration of the wonderful Golconda Diamonds is proving of greatest interest to our patrons. A representative of the manufacturers is here with a great line of jewelry carrying these handsome stones.

These gems are pure diamond cut, crystal white stones, and conceded to be the nearest approach in hardness and durability to the genuine diamond, on the market. The resemblance is remarkable. None but an expert can distinguish these stones from the genuine diamond even when worn together.

The latest high or low tiffiny, Belcher and Gypsy settings in solid gold and gold filled rings at from $1.00 to $5.00.

Artistic designs in brooches, bar, lace and collar pins, 50c to $3.00.

New designs in Men's Scarf Pins, Shirt Studs, etc., 50c to $2.50.

Tiffany mounted ear screws, $1.00 to $3.00,

Every piece neatly boxed, and guaranteed. Splendid for Christmas giving.

This special sale and display has the personal endorsement of the Anderson store. It is an opportunity to secure moderate priced, good jewelry.

The Most Thorough of Electric Cleaners

Hoover Suction Sweeper

Your home needs and deserves an efficient suction sweeper. Your wife, Mr. Business Man, is entitled to it. If men did the housework we could sell a hundred of these sweepers in a single day. Suppose you make your wife or your mother a Christmas present of one of these best of all suction cleaners—The Hoover—at Christmas time. You may say that you do not know anything about such things, but we can soon demonstrate to you the superiority of the Hoover over all other kinds of electric cleaners and then we will guarantee it.

Sweeping and cleaning is drudgery for anybody except when using a satisfactory cleaner such as the Hoover.

The Hoover is the 100 percent efficient machine. When buying, buy the best and you will have no regrets. The Hoover is not a new machine with us, we have sold it for years and can refer you to plenty of satisfied users in this community.

Demonstration at any time, either in our carpet section or at your home.

Such High Grade Merchandise as This

Maintains For Us the Prestige Which Andersons' Store Earned Years Ago!

Table Linens

Of the Anderson Quality Make Splendid Gifts

Think of an immense stock of handsome table linens and napkins as we are now showing, priced at the same figures we quoted two years ago! Belgium and Russia, the two greatest flax producing countries in the world in the turmoil of war, and Andersons' linens selling at old prices! Even the big city stores have advanced their prices, but Andersons—not yet.

SATIN DAMASK, all linen and regular width at $1.00, $1.25, $1.50 and $2.00 the yard. Full bleached and every thread linen.

Pattern Cloths up to $6.00.

Napkins from $1.00 to $7.50 the dozen.

GRANDMOTHER'S LINEN, the good old fashioned kind. Not fine as silk but as serviceable as can be made and as reliable as the best of old grandmothers. Unbleached, of course, but fine for everyday wear. 58c and 75c the yard.

Japanese Linons

These are very handsome in their pretty Japanese patterns of blue printed on white ground. Just the thing to put on a stand, dresser or buffet to brighten up a room. Also in table cloth size two-yards square for $2.50. Smaller sizes down to 25c each.

Handsome 10-inch Japanese crash for window decorations, etc., at 10c the yard. New patterns just in. This merchandise is usually not carried so extensively outside of the larger cities, so you will probably save time by coming direct to Andersons' for this.

White Ivory

Both Imported and Domestic

Everybody is pleased with the wonderful line of Parisian Ivory we are showing, a really worthy assortment, and prices a shade under former quotations. Numerous separate pieces from which you can construct sets to your liking.

Nail files and the various manicure implements at 25c to 50c.

Trays for 65c to $1.50.

Combs 15c to $1.00.

Clocks, imported works, $1.00 to $2.00.

Hair brushes at $1.00 to $2.50.

Perfume bottles (three in a nest) for 65c and $1.25.

Hair receivers and powder boxes 50c to $2.00.

Picture frames, oval or square, 25c, 50c and $1.00.

Handkerchiefs

We Have Them Boxed All Ready To Give

Handkerchiefs always play an important part of most everybody's Christmas. This year the women's and children's handkerchiefs reveal considerable color and the effects are very beautiful. It is our pleasure to show you now these enticing styles, boxed or singly at very moderate prices.

Boxed handkerchiefs for women at 25c to $1.00.

Boxed handkerchiefs for children at 15c and 25c. Among the styles for children are cute Mother Goose characters stamped and woven into the fabric, as well as daintily colored initials.

Thanksgiving is now at our backs and the world is facing a Christmas. Your Christmas is what you make it. If you refuse to enter into the spirit of the season and refrain from making others happy, you will in return be unhappy. If you would have happiness yourself, you must give it away. If joys you crave, to experience them you must scatter joys for others. Who should do more giving this Christmas than the American people? Who should be happier than you and your friends.

Since giving exemplifies the spirit of Christmas time, it is necessary for people to buy. We have for months been preparing our wonderful institution for a demand such as we are sure the people of this community will make upon us. We are ready for the rush of Christmas shopping. Yes, we are imbued with the holiday spirit ourselves, and our sales force is already taking an interest in showing and selling merchandise for Christmas giving. Hundreds of people have already begun their Christmas shopping. May we not be of service to you NOW, and at any time you choose to call upon us?

Give Books

This Has Been Termed A Book Christmas

Occasionally a vogue starts; nobody knows how or why. That seems to be the case this season with books. Everybody is going to give books. It seems to be a wave sweeping the country. Our sales already, so far, have been the heaviest ever experienced.

We have for your choosing a thousand reprint copyrights at 50c each among which are some of the best novels published in recent years. These are arranged for handy choosing just inside the main entrance on first floor. Look them over with a view to giving some to your friends. Choice of a thousand at only 50c.

PELOUBET'S SELECT NOTES on the Sunday School Lessons for 1916. There are thousands of Sunday School students, teachers and ministers who would gladly accept this popular book as a gift on Christmas morning. A gift that is sure to last all the year, and at Andersons' it only costs $1.00.

Torrey's Gist of the Lesson, 1916, pocket edition of Sunday School lesson helps, for only 25c.

Xmas Box Paper

We Show the Choicest From the Two Best Makes in the United States

The writing papers are good qualities and the boxes are prettier than ever. This is a splendid place to select desirable presents, so attractive are these new packages. Many go on display today for the first time. Come and select now.

Box papers and correspondence cards 25c and 50c.

Combination paper and card sets 50c.

Handsome boxes of paper 25c, 50c and $1.00.

Leather Goods

Always A Big Christmas Item:

We have three immense cases full of women's hand bags for your selecting. One case with nothing but dollar bags and a right royal welcome it is receiving too. Some of them look like they were worth twice the amount asked, and such merchandise in any line always pleases.

Splendid values at $1.00, $1.19, $1.39, $1.50, $2.00 and up to $3.50.

Toilet Goods

Make the Most Acceptable Presents

There is usually a particular sister, aunt, cousin or just a friend for whom you sometimes worry for a week over something to buy for her. She has everything, you say. But when confronted by a case like this, our splendid toilet goods store can help you in a jiffy. Here you will find all the delicate, high grade odors in perfumes and toilet waters, which every particular woman likes to have, and which she likes to receive at Christmas time.

Mary Garden perfume, $2.00 ounce.

Mary Garden Talcum 45c.

Djer-Kiss Perfume $1.00 ounce.

Djer-Kiss Face Powder 50c.

Djer-Kiss Talcum at 25c.

Hudnut's and Colgate's Nationally advertised perfumes and powders and their holiday packgaes made specially for Christmas giving, 50c and 75c.

Toilet waters in a score of kinds and odors at 25c to $1.00.

Azurea toilet waters and powders at cut prices here.

Then, too, in this same section you will find a splendid line of tourist cases, with rubber cloth linings and pretty backs at from 35c to $1.50. And Pullman Aprons, every woman should have one when she travels, at $1.00.

Leather Cases containing manicure sets from 98c to $6.00.

Combs, fancy and plain, at 25c to $2.00 and barrettes, new and desirable at 25c and 50c.

Christmas Gloves

Yes and Glove Orders Too

Bought 'way last Spring and but recently received, our stock of kid gloves (prices the same as last year) will furnish hundreds of pleasing Christmas presents for people of the community. We would, however, suggest that gloves, especially, be purchased early, and that you secure the size desired, for exchanging gloves after Christmas will be a somewhat unsatisfactory proposition. Not that this store, or other stores won't be willing to exchange, but there is liable to be great difficulty in securing desirable gloves from the importers. However, you may count on Andersons' doing the very best possible.

Kid gloves in staple shades and contrasts at $1.10 and $1.50.

Misses' and children's kid and cape gloves at $1.00.

Women's white and colored Chamoisette gloves 50c.

Children's mittens and fabric gloves 25c to 50c.

Umbrellas

The Moulton Wireless With the Guaranteed Ribs

None better made, and none made better. We've carried them for years and we ought to know. Sold only at Andersons.' Ribs and handle detachable, and not a penny extra charge for these features. Let us explain the virtues of the Moulton Wireless Umbrella to you. When you know you'll never buy any other kind. The best is none too good for you to give your friend.

Men's Moulton Wireless Umbrellas $1.00 to $5.00.

Women's Moulton Wireless Umbrellas at $1.00 to $6.00.

TOY LAND IS NOW AT ITS BEST

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You've Heard It Before "SHOP EARLY"

LANDING OF TROOPS IS A VIOLATION OF GREEK TERRITORY

Berlin, Nov. 30—(Wireless to Sayville)—The position taken by the entente allies as reflected in the semi-official statement issued in Paris to the effect that the landing of troops at Saloniki was not a violation of Greek territory, is contradicted by the Overseas News Agency.

"Reports from various sources concerning French and British threats against Greece, fail to clear up the situation," the agency says. However, the general tone of the news from French and British sources indicates clearly that Greece has ben asked to renounce her sovereignty.

"Attempts to justify this course are all in vain. M. Venizelos, the former premier, had not the right under the constitution to sanction the landing of troops at Saloniki.

"The Greek constitution states in Clause 99, that the parliament is the only body which possesses the right to decide such questions. Therefore King Constantine is merely defending the integrity of the constitution against conspiracy, which shows that reproaches directed against him have no just basis.

"The French and British attempts to compel a small neutral nation to consent to the measures taken proves that the entente thinks might is right."

Pay Your Taxes

Taxes for the first half of 1915 can now be paid at the county treasurer's office, as the books are all ready for the regular December collection. Tax-payers can avoid delay and inconvenience by bringing their old tax receipts with them.

If you have a room which is not occupied you should be using TIMES WANT ADS.

Kicked By Horse, Nose Is Broken

M. L. Bonner, prominent farmer of Mt. Joy, is laid up at home suffering from serious injuries sustained when a fractious colt kicked him in the face Sunday morning. His nose was broken and several of his teeth broken off.

Mr. Bonner was a guest at the home of his son-in-law, R. B. McChesney, of Sedan, at the time of the accident. He entered the stall where the colt was kept, and it kicked him without warning.

FORTY MILLION DOLLAR COPPER ORDER PLACED BY GERMAN GOVERNMENT

New York, Nov. 30—Orders for copper aggregating about 200,000,000 pounds, nearly one-fifth the annual production in the United States, have been placed by German representatives with copper concerns in this country, it is reported today. As copper is quoted at twenty cents a pound, the cost of the German purchases amount to $40,000,000.

America produced 1,110,062,000 pounds of copper in 1914.

Railroad Men

Select that Coat, Dress or Suit for "her" now. We'll deliver it when you say. "One price to all."

The WHEN

RIVER NEWS

Portsmouth, O., Nov. 30, 1915.
(75th Meridian Time.)

	Flood stage river, feet	Height of River, feet	Change since last report	Precipitation last 24 hours, inches
Franklin	15	5.7 F	-0.5	.06
Greensboro	18	7.8 F	-0.0	.02
Pittsburgh	22	7.0 F	-0.0	.01
Wheeling	36	9.6 R	-0.0	00
Zanesville	25	10.0 F	-0.2	00
Parkersb'g	36	9.6 F	-0.3	.04
Charleston	30	7.2 F	-0.2	00
Pt Pleasant	39	8.2 R	-0.6	00
Huntington	50	8.8 F	-1.0	.02
Catlettsb'g	50	9.7 F	-1.3	.04
Portsmouth	50	12.4 F	-1.4	.16
Cincinnati	50	16.0 F	-1.0	.02

FORECAST

Partly cloudy over upper Ohio valley tonight and Wednesday. River will fall slowly.

H. C. DONNALLEY,
River Observer.

The Ohio river was 12.4 ft. and falling here Tuesday morning. A number of Kanawha river towboats with empties passed up S[illegible] day. Wednesday's packet [illegible] partures: Str. Greenland [illegible] for Cincinnati at 5 a. [illegible] Klondike for Rome at [illegible] Str. Greyhound up [illegible] ton at 8 p. m., Str. [illegible] Pomeroy at 3 p[illegible]

[illegible]ORY
of Eagles
[illegible]rie, No. 567

Nothing [illegible] Thursday evening
Victod and Court Streets
N. Gableman, Secretary.
'Phones 910 and Y 916

Will Hold Variety Supper

The Ladies Aid society of Valley Chapel on the Scioto Trail will give a variety supper next Friday evening.

Age is Not the Cause of your hair falling out. It is the condition of your scalp.

Rexall "93" Hair Tonic will destroy the germ which is the cause of this trouble. 50 cents a bottle.

Wurster Bros.

5c—EXHIBIT TONIGHT—5[illegible]
Two Reel C[illegible] [illegible]ack
"Master [illegible] [illegible]'N"
Featuring Jac[illegible]
"Wif[illegible]

With A Times Want Ad.

IT IS NOT HARD TO KEEP WARM NOW
WHY NOT MAKE IT JUST AS EASY
TO KEEP WARM NEXT WINTER

INSTALL GAS

ALWAYS ON THE JOB

DON'T MISS THE
LYRIC
Today---10c

MARY PICKFORD
BLANCHE SWEET
LILLIAN GISH
3 big stars on the same program. See them in the plays that made them famous. 7 great reels 10c

TOMORROW---WORLD FILM FEATURE
The first appearance of the celebrated beautiful dramatic and operatic star
JOSE COLLIN'S
in "THE IMPOSTOR" 5 PARTS
The remarkable adventures of twin brothers and a Gypsy girl

Christmas Jewelry

It is time you were giving your Christmas buying studious thought. If it is Jewelry you want to give we can help you solve the question aright. We stand four-square behind every article that leaves our store. Incidentally we save you money.

THE CRESCENT JEWELRY CO.
920 GALLIA STREET

Appointments Of Mayor-Elect Will Soon Be Made Public, Scramble Is On For The Offices

Mayor-elect H. H. Kaps informed a Times representative this afternoon that the majority of his appointments would be made known within the next twenty-four hours. He added that he had virtually decided upon the majority of them.

Ralph Calvert was tipped today as the most likely choice for the position of service director, but the mayor-elect refused to commit himself on that office. He assumed the same attitude on the other appointments about which he was questioned.

It was learned however, from a reliable source that E. K. S. Clinkenbeard and William Sellards were avowed applicants for the position of Safety Director, with the probability that Sellards would be turned down and that Clinkenbeard would be given the place. There was some talk that Sellards would be given the service directorship, but this rumor lacked sufficent weight to be given much consideration.

It is practically assured that Charles Hancock will be given his old place as chief of the fire department, and that the position of chief of police will go to John Eckhart in the event that he fails to land the appointment as county liquor license commissioner. Friends of E. E. Hise, the street car motorman and labor leader, are making a strong fight in his behalf, and seem confident that he will be chosen to succeed Chief Allen. Thomas Evans, a Hibbs Hardware Company employee, is also being mentioned today as a likely choice.

The race for city engineer is between four applicants, according to the most reliable information, Samuel Harper, who held the place under former Mayor E. N. Tynes, Harold Wendelken, of the state highway department, Arthur Harwood, deputy county surveyor, and W. H. Monahan, in the engineering department of the Whitaker-Glessner Steel Company.

For superintendent of the street cleaning department, Henry Ruel is the most prominently mentioned, although it is rumored that John Capehart is being considered for the place.

John Williams, of the Scioto Sand Company, is touted as a sure winner for one of the assistant directorships. Henry Cline is also said to have the position of clerk to the safety director and civil service commission, now held by Fred W. Baesman, cinched.

Mayor-elect Kaps has established an office in Room 711 of the First National Bank building, which he will occupy until he takes his office on January 1st.

MR. MAIER'S NEPHEW IS KILLED IN BATTLE

August Maier, well known retired brewery agent, received word Tuesday that a nephew, Emil Oswald, was killed in battle while fighting against the Russians in Poland recently.

The sad news was contained in a letter from Mr. Maier's sister, Mrs. Louise Oswald, of Riebheim, Germany. The soldier boy was her youngest son. Besides him, Mr. Maier has six other nephews fighting in the German army ranks.

Mrs. Oswald in her letters gives a graphic description of conditions in her home town, due to the war. All of the able-bodied men are at the front and the women work in the fields and do all manual work. She says all of the women are earnestly hoping and praying that the big conflict will be brought to an early end.

Mr. Maier, himself, is detained at his home, No. 506 Sixth street, with a severe cold.

HAS OPENED OFFICE

Robert C. Byers, formerly of Columbus, has opened up a sales and advertising agency in the Baron block, over the Schwartz Clothing store. He will make a specialty of electrical devices. He was formerly president of the Columbus Advertising Club.

DR. G. A. SULZER
In Portsmouth Thursdays and Fridays. Office 946 East Second Street. Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat. adv.

WEDDING AT JACKSON

G. W. Harbarger, of Jackson, was married last Wednesday evening to Miss Mary Estella Stephenson, also of Jackson. The groom taught school in southern Ohio for many years. He married his first wife 50 years ago this month. She died a number of years ago. The wedding caused quite a sensation in Jackson, according to the Jackson Sun.

GARRISON SHARPLY ARRAIGNS MR. TAFT FOR STATEMENTS ABOUT PHILIPPINES

Washington, Nov. 30—Secretary Garrison, of the war department, in a formal statement sharply arraigns former President William H. Taft for having lent his name to what are termed "statements mendacious in character and mischievous in intent" with relation to conditions in the Philippine Islands under the present administration. Circulation of these statements, Mr. Garrison charges, show plainly "that the Republican politicians are attempting to lay the foundation for campaign material with respect to the Philippine Islands."

Particular attention is given by the secretary to articles written by O. Garfield Jones and published in a California newspaper and later republished in pamphlet form under the title, "Unhappy Conditions in the Philippine Islands," with an introduction by Mr. Taft. The introduction attributed the conditions described to the "blind and foolish policy of President Wilson and Governor General Harrison."

In connection with his comment, Mr. Garrison makes public a letter which he says was written recently by Jones to the department, asking where a newspaper market might be found for a "much better article" which he had prepared on "The Filipinos and the Democratic Regime," declared to be highly favorable to the administration.

Lester Nutter Won Over Leon Wilson

Lester Nutter, speed man on the P. H. S. football eleven, was chosen captain of the 1916 team at a meeting held by the 17 lettered men Tuesday afternoon. Nutter plays right end. Fullback Leon Wilson received 8 votes and Nutter 9.

Neglect And Cruelty Charged In Petition

Gross neglect of duty and extreme cruelty are alleged in the divorce petition of Elmo D. Lewis, husband of Margaret Lewis, filed this afternoon in common pleas court by Attorney N. B. Gilliland. The plaintiff was defendant in a divorce suit filed by his wife about a month ago, which was later withdrawn.

British Casualties

London, Nov. 30.—British casualty lists published during November total 1,232 officers, 45,184 non-commissioned officers and men in all fields of war bring the total since the beginning of hostilities to approximately 600,000.

ASSIGNING MEMBERS TO VARIOUS COMMITTEES

Washington, D. C., Nov. 30—Democrats of the house ways and means committee met again today to assign members of committees in continuation of the work of organization for the coming session of congress. It will probably take several days before the assignments can be worked out.

The committee has tentatively agreed to add one member to the ways and means, appropriation, military, naval and judiciary committee.

The special rules committee of the senate, of which Senator Owens, of Oklahoma, is chairman, met today to decide on the form of cloture rule to be laid before the caucus for the senate Democrats.

The house special budget committee failed to reach an agreement at its meeting last night on any specific plan.

Bible Class Plans For Annual Banquet

The Men's Bible class of the Second Presbyterian church, John E. Williams, teacher, will give their annual banquet in the church dining room Friday evening, December 10. The committee in charge is Jacob Holstetter, Bryson West and Louis T. Spencer, and they expect 250 men of the class, their wives or friends. The banquet promises to be a splendid affair.

Owls Nominated Officers For 1916

Following the routine business session Monday evening, the Owls nominated officers. The nomination will be held open until next Monday night, when the officers will be elected. Following the election there will be a social affair and smoker at the expense of John Knost, a recent bridegroom, and member of the order. Following are the members nominated: President, Grover Barr, Charles Hartman, Albert Haag; vice-president, Albert Haag, John Knost; invocator, Les Ferguson, Warren Riddleberger; warden, H. C. Smith, William Ruder; sentinel, Les Ferguson; picket, Walter Hughes, Hayes James; secretary, William Miller; treasurer, George Schneider; trustees, Warren Riddleberger, Roy McElhaney, Fred Goltz, John Knost, F. Trende.

Grover Barr, the present presiding officer, is up for reelection.

Waiting On Arrival Of Girl's Father

Miss Ava Ferguson, a pretty 17-year-old Huntington, W. Va., girl, has been in the custody of the local police officials since Monday afternoon when she was detained on a wire from Chief Sam Davis, of that city.

A message from Huntington stated the girl had run away from home with a man but it soon developed that this was a mistake and that she was with a party of men and women solicitors who expected to canvass the city for a magazine house. She had been in the employ of the concern's field man for the past two weeks. Later her father was communicated with and he asked that she be held until his arrival, saying he would reach Portsmouth Thursday morning. Accordingly she was permitted to spend the night at a local hotel. True to her promise she reported at police headquarters early Tuesday and was given the freedom of the place. The father had not yet arrived Tuesday afternoon.

Edna Mayo & Bryant Washburn Teach A Great Lesson In
"THE BLINDNESS OF VIRTUE"
Columbia Tomorrow

The Ladias' Suits
Coats and Dresses and the Men's Suits and Overcoats selling at
The WHEN
are warm and the most stylish in town. Try them. One price clothing house.

Pony Team Runs Away

Chester Wallace's pony team took fright at a passing automobile at Third and Market street and started to run away Tuesday afternoon. A pedestrian stopped them just as they were getting under way.

Ike Farley Lands

Word came from Columbus Tuesday that Ike Farley, colored, and a former resident of this city, had been made deputy court bailiff in the municipal court at a salary of $900 per year.

If you have a room which is not occupied you should be using TIMES WANT ADS.

ARE YOU SATISFIED WITH YOUR STOMACH?
Do you want a better one—one that won't belch gas, or turn sour, or feel heavy, or make you feel miserable?
MI-O-NA
For Indigestion
It relieves stomach distress in five minutes. It assists old, unsatisfactory, rebellious stomachs to work like new ones, ever ready to digest the heartiest meal.
Mi-o-na Tablets are guaranteed to give satisfaction, or money back
For sale by leading Druggists everywhere, including
WURSTER BROS.
Portsmouth, Ohio.

Diamonds
Albert Zoellner's Special
A fine white diamond in a 14 karat Tiffany mounting.
$11.00
Albert Zoellner
Jeweler, 3rd & Chilli

Black Silk Stove Polish Liquid Paste
Does Not Rub Off, Lasts 4 Times as Long as Others, Saves Work.
Get a Can Today

Railroad Men
Select that Coat, Dress or Suit for "her" now. We'll deliver it when you say. "One price to all."
The WHEN

Just As Expected:
Winter Is Here
Are you prepared for the Wind and Snow? If not, come here for warm, dependable, snappy and serviceable
Suits, Overcoats Underwear, Sweaters
I handle nothing but guaranteed clothing and furnishings---you can't go wrong here.
ALWAYS SOMETHING NEW
Corner Fifth and Chillicothe Sts.
Haas.
WATCH MY WINDOWS

If It Isn't a Skating Costume It Isn't The Newest Style

See Our Skating Window

New York, Pittsburgh, Chicago and all the big cities are wild over ice skating. All the late shows have skating scenes and each city has one or more large ice rinks where experts demonstrate fancy and figure skating and men and women skate themselves. This has caused designers to make everything that can be used as a skating costume and everything else is passe.

Our New York buyer has supplied us with the newest in this mode, including coats, fur sets, suits, dresses, skirts and Angora long scarf sets. Be sure to see them. They've been arriving all week.

Lovely Skating Coats At $12.75

Beautiful corduroy and fancy mixture coats with the high chin burying checker collar, trimmed in fur that will keep the winter breezes away at only $12.75

FineSkating Suits At $19.75

In poplins, gabardines, whipcords and broadcloths in all the newest shades with the high fur trimmed "chin-chin" collar at $19.75

Lovely Skating Sets, consisting of tight fitting cap and large scarf, from 50c the set to $1.96 the set.

Handsome Fur Skating Sets in all furs and price.

Even if you can't skate you must have skating costume.

ONLY 21 SHOPPING DAYS TILL XMAS

THE READY TO WEAR STORE
The Atlas Co.
603 CHILLICOTHE STREET

JOFFRE MAY BE SUPREME COMMANDER

London, Nov. 30.—Field Marshal Sir John French of the British forces on the western front was in London yesterday and conferred with Premier Asquith.

So far as the public knows, Field Marshal French has not been in London since he paid a secret visit to the British capital late in January. He conferred with the British and French war ministers at Calais on July 6.

Earl Kitchener, British secretary of war, was in Paris yesterday. There have been reports that a movement was on foot to place General Joffre, the French leader, in supreme command of the Franco-British forces on the western front, but London has denied there was any foundation for them.

Not Permitted To Enter Belgium

Jersey City, No. Y., Nov. 30 - Major Wallace Winchell, of this city, who was selected by General Bramwell Booth as head of the Salvation Army relief work in Belgium, has been denied permission by the German government to enter that country, according to information received here by his wife.

Major Winchell is an American.

ELKS AWARD CONTRACTS

At a meeting of the board of governors the Portsmouth Lodge B. P. O. Elks held Monday night a contract for the silverware to be used in the kitchen and dining room was awarded to Jeweler J. F. Carr, the linen contract to the Joseph G. Reed company and the kitchen equipment, including a huge warming table and coffee urn, were given to the Van Stove and Range company of Cincinnati.

WILL GO TO BATAVIA

M. A. Coe, who enters upon his work with the state bureau of public accounting tomorrow, received instructions today from Auditor of State Donahey to go to Batavia tomorrow to conduct an examination of the Clermont county offices. He will be there about three weeks, after which he will be assigned to work in Cincinnati.

BE HEALTHY, HAPPY, VIGOROUS

Trembling, Nervous Prostration and that Tired Feeling Vanish After a Treatment of Ambition Pills

Every run down, weakened, tired out nervous person in Portsmouth is invited to go to Wurster Bros. this very day and get a 50 cent box of Wendell's Ambition Pills.

And Wurster Bros. and dealers everywhere are authorized to refund the purchase price to every buyer if he is dissatisfied with the first box purchased.

Don't delay. Thousands have gained vigor, ambition and energy by the use of one box of Wendell's Ambition Pills.

Get them and take them for any nervous trouble, weakness, headaches, hysteria, neuralgia, exhausted vitality, sleeplessness, kidney, liver or stomach ailments, and for constipation. They will make any one feel fine, happy and vigorous in a few days. Mail orders filled, charges prepaid, by The Wendell Pharmacal Company, Inc., Syracuse, N. Y.

The Ladies' Suits

Coats and Dresses and the Men's Suits and Overcoats selling at

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are warm and the most stylish in town. Try them. One price clothing house.

Manufacturer's Sale and Demonstration

Golconda Diamonds

This sale and demonstration of the wonderful Golconda Diamonds is proving of greatest interest to our patrons. A representative of the manufacturers is here with a great line of jewelry carrying these handsome stones.

These gems are pure diamond cut, crystal white stones, and conceded to be the nearest approach in hardness and durability to the genuine diamond, on the market. The resemblance is remarkable. None but an expert can distinguish these stones from the genuine diamond even when worn together.

The latest high or low tiffany, Belcher and Gypsy settings in solid gold and gold filled rings at from $1.00 to $5.00.

Artistic designs in brooches, bar, lace and collar pins, 50c to $3.00.

New designs in Men's Scarf Pins, Shirt Studs, etc., 50c to $2.50.

Tiffany mounted ear screws, $1.00 to $3.00.

Every piece neatly boxed, and guaranteed. Splendid for Christmas giving.

This special sale and display has the personal endorsement of the Anderson store. It is an opportunity to secure moderate priced, good jewelry.

The Most Thorough of Electric Cleaners

Hoover Suction Sweeper

Your home needs and deserves an efficient suction sweeper. Your wife, Mr. Business Man, is entitled to it. If men did the housework we could sell a hundred of these sweepers in a single day. Suppose you make your wife or your mother a Christmas present of one of these best of all suction cleaners—The Hoover—at Christmas time. You may say that you do not know anything about such things, but we can soon demonstrate to you the superiority of the Hoover over all other kinds of electric cleaners and then we will guarantee it.

Sweeping and cleaning is drudgery for anybody except when using a satisfactory cleaner such as the Hoover.

The Hoover is the 100 percent efficient machine. When buying, buy the best and you will have no regrets. The Hoover is not a new machine with us, we have sold it for years and can refer you to plenty of satisfied users in this community.

Demonstration at any time, either in our carpet section or at your home.

Such High Grade Merchandise as This

Maintains For Us the Prestige Which Andersons' Store Earned Years Ago!

Table Linens

Of the Anderson Quality Make Splendid Gifts

Think of an immense stock of handsome table linens and napkins as we are now showing, priced at the same figures we quoted two years ago! Belgium and Russia, the two greatest flax producing countries in the world in the turmoil of war, and Andersons' linens selling at old prices! Even the big city stores have advanced their prices, but Andersons'—not yet.

SATIN DAMASK, all linen and regular width at $1.00, $1.25, $1.50 and $2.00 the yard. Full bleached and every thread linen.

Pattern Cloths up to $6.00.

Napkins from $1.00 to $7.50 the dozen.

GRANDMOTHER'S LINEN, the good old fashioned kind. Not fine as silk but as serviceable as can be made and as reliable as the best of old grandmothers. Unbleached, of course, but fine for everyday wear. 58c and 75c the yard.

Japanese Linons

These are very handsome in their pretty Japanese patterns of blue printed on white ground. Just the thing to put on a stand, dresser or buffet to brighten up a room. Also in table cloth size two yards square for $2.50. Smaller sizes down to 25c each.

Handsome 10-inch Japanese crash for window decorations, etc., at 10c the yard. New patterns just in. This merchandise is usually not carried so extensively outside of the larger cities, so you will probably save time by coming direct to Andersons' for this.

White Ivory

Both Imported and Domestic

Everybody is pleased with the wonderful line of Parisian Ivory we are showing, a really worthy assortment, and prices a shade under former quotations. Numerous separate pieces from which you can construct sets to your liking.

Nail files and the various manicure implements at 25c to 50c.

Trays for 65c to $1.50.

Combs 15c to $1.00.

Clocks, imported works, $1.00 to $2.00.

Hair brushes at $1.00 to $2.50.

Perfume bottles (three in a nest) for 65c and $1.25.

Hair receivers and powder boxes 50c to $2.00.

Picture frames, oval or square. 25c, 50c and $1.00.

Handkerchiefs

We Have Them Boxed All Ready To Give

Handkerchiefs always play an important part of most everybody's Christmas. This year the women's and children's handkerchiefs reveal considerable color and the effects are very beautiful. It is our pleasure to show you now these enticing styles, boxed or singly at very moderate prices.

Boxed handkerchiefs for women at 25c to $1.00.

Boxed handkerchiefs for children at 15c and 25c. Among the styles for children are cute Mother Goose characters stamped and woven into the fabric, as well as daintily colored initials.

Thanksgiving is now at our backs and the world is facing a Christmas. Your Christmas is what you make it. If you refuse to enter into the spirit of the season and refrain from making others happy, you will in return be unhappy. If you would have happiness yourself, you must give it away. If joys you crave, to experience them you must scatter joys for others. Who should do more giving this Christmas than the American people? Who should be happier than you and your friends.

Since giving exemplifies the spirit of Christmas time, it is necessary for people to buy. We have for months been preparing our wonderful institution for a demand such as we are sure the people of this community will make upon us. We are ready for the rush of Christmas shopping. Yes, we are imbued with the holiday spirit ourselves, and our sales force is already taking an interest in showing and selling merchandise for Christmas giving. Hundreds of people have already began their Christmas shopping. May we not be of service to you NOW, and at any time you choose to call upon us!

Give Books

This Has Been Termed A Book Christmas

Occasionally a vogue starts; nobody knows how or why. That seems to be the case this season with books. Everybody is going to give books. It seems to be a wave sweeping the country. Our sales already, so far, have been the heaviest ever experienced.

We have for your choosing a thousand reprint copyrights at 50c each among which are some of the best novels published in recent years. These are arranged for handy choosing just inside the main entrance on first floor. Look them over with a view to giving some to your friends. Choice of a thousand at only 50c.

PELOUBET'S SELECT NOTES on the Sunday School Lessons for 1916. There are thousands of Sunday School students, teachers and ministers who would gladly accept this popular book as a gift on Christmas morning. A gift that is sure to last all the year, and at Andersons' it only costs $1.00.

Torrey's Gist of the Lesson, 1916, pocket edition of Sunday School lesson helps, for only 25c.

Xmas Box Paper

We Show the Choicest From the Two Best Makes in the United States

The writing papers are good qualities and the boxes are prettier than ever. This is a splendid place to select desirable presents, so attractive are these new packages. Many go on display today for the first time. Come and select now.

Box papers and correspondence cards 25c and 50c.

Combination paper and card sets 50c.

Handsome boxes of paper 25c, 50c and $1.00.

Leather Goods

Always A Big Christmas Item

We have three immense cases full of women's hand bags for your selecting. One case with nothing but dollar bags and a right royal welcome it is receiving too. Some of them look like they were worth twice the amount asked, and such merchandise in any line always pleases.

Splendid values at $1.00, $1.19, $1.39, $1.50, $2.00 and up to $3.50.

Toilet Goods

Make the Most Acceptable Presents

There is usually a particular sister, aunt, cousin or just a friend for whom you sometimes worry for a week over something to buy for her. She has everything, you say. But when confronted by a case like this, our splendid toilet goods store can help you in a jiffy. Here you will find all the delicate, high grade odors in perfumes and toilet waters, which every particular woman likes to have, and which she likes to receive at Christmas time.

Mary Garden perfume, $2.00 ounce.

Mary Garden Talcum 45c.

Djer-Kiss Perfume $1.00 ounce.

Djer-Kiss Face Powder 50c.

Djer-Kiss Talcum at 25c.

Hudnut's and Colgate's Nationally advertised perfumes and powders and their holiday packages made specially for Christmas giving, 50c and 75c.

Toilet waters in a score of kinds and odors at 25c to $1.00.

Azurea toilet waters and powders at cut prices here.

Then, too, in this same section you will find a splendid line of tourist cases, with rubber cloth linings and pretty backs at from 35c to $1.50. And Pullman Aprons, every woman should have one when she travels, at $1.00.

Leather Cases containing manicure sets from 98c to $6.00.

Combs, fancy and plain, at 25c to $2.00 and barrettes, new and desirable at 25c and 50c.

Christmas Gloves

Yes and Glove Orders Too

Bought way last Spring and but recently received, our stock of kid gloves (prices the same as last year) will furnish hundreds of pleasing Christmas presents for people of the community. We would, however, suggest that gloves, especially, be purchased early, and that you secure the size desired, for exchanging gloves after Christmas will be a somewhat unsatisfactory proposition. Not that this store, or other stores won't be willing to exchange, but there is liable to be great difficulty in securing desirable gloves from the importers. However, you may count on Andersons' doing the very best possible.

Kid gloves in staple shades and contrasts at $1.10 and $1.50.

Misses' and children's kid and cape gloves at $1.00.

Women's white and colored Chamoisette gloves 50c.

Children's mittens and fabric gloves 25c to 50c.

Umbrellas

The Moulton Wireless With the Guaranteed Ribs

None better made, and none made better. We've carried them for years and we ought to know. Sold only at Andersons.' Ribs and handle detachable, and not a penny extra charge for these features. Let us explain the virtues of the Moulton Wireless Umbrella to you. When you know you'll never buy any other kind. The best is none too good for you to give your friend.

Men's Moulton Wireless Umbrellas $1.00 to $5.00.

Women's Moulton Wireless Umbrellas at $1.00 to $6.00.

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"Reports from various sources concerning French and British threats against Greece, fail to clear up the situation," the agency says. "However, the general tone of the news from French and British sources indicates clearly that Greece has ben asked to renounce her sovereignty.

"Attempts to justify this course are all in vain. M. Venizelos, the former premier, had not the right under the constitution to sanction the landing of troops at Saloniki.

"The Greek constitution states in Clause 99, that the parliament is the only body which possesses the right to decide such questions. Therefore King Constantine is merely defending the integrity of the constitution against conspiracy, which shows that reproaches directed against him have no just basis.

"The French and British attempts to compel a small neutral nation to consent to the measures taken proves that the entente thinks might is right."

Pay Your Taxes

Taxes for the first half of 1915 can now be paid at the county treasurer's office, as the books are all ready for the regular December collection. Tax-payers can avoid delay and inconvenience by bringing their old tax receipts with them.

If you have a room which is not occupied you should be using TIMES WANT ADS.

Kicked By Horse, Nose Is Broken

M. L. Bonner, prominent farmer of Mt. Joy, is laid up at home suffering from serious injuries sustained when a fractious colt kicked him in the face Sunday morning. His nose was broken and several of his teeth broken off.

Mr. Bonner was a guest at the home of his son-in-law, R. B. McChesney, of Sedan, at the time of the accident. He entered the stall where the colt was kept, and it kicked him without warning.

FORTY MILLION DOLLAR COPPER ORDER PLACED BY GERMAN GOVERNMENT

New York, Nov. 30—Orders for copper aggregating about 200,000,000 pounds, nearly one-fifth the annual production in the United States, have been placed by German representatives with copper concerns in this country, it is reported today. As copper is quoted at twenty cents a pound, the cost of the German purchases amount to $40,000,000.

America produced 1,110,062,000 pounds of copper in 1914.

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RIVER NEWS

Portsmouth, O., Nov. 30, 1915.
(75th Meridian Time.)

	Flood stage river feet	Height of River feet	Change since last report	Precipitation last 24 hours inches
Franklin	15	5.7 F	-0.5	.06
Greensboro	18	7.8 F	-0.0	.02
Pittsburgh	22	7.0 F	-0.0	.01
Wheeling	36	9.6 R	-0.0	00
Zanesville	25	10.0 F	-0.2	00
Parkersb'g	36	9.6 F	-0.3	.04
Charleston	30	7.3 F	-0.2	00
Pt Pleasant	39	8.2 R	-0.6	00
Huntington	50	8.8 F	-1.0	.02
Catlettsb'g	50	9.7 F	-1.3	.04
Portsmouth	50	12.4 F	-1.4	.16
Cincinnati	50	16.0 F	-1.0	.02

FORECAST

Partly cloudy over upper Ohio valley tonight and Wednesday. River will fall slowly.

H. C. DONNALLEY,
River Observer.

The Ohio river was 12.4 ft. and falling here Tuesday morning. A number of Kanawha river towboats with empties passed up Sunday. Wednesday's packet departures: Str. Greenland down for Cincinnati at 5 a. m., Str. Klondike for Rome at 2 p. m.; Str. Greyhound up for Huntington at 8 p. m., Str. Greenwood for Pomeroy at 3 p. m.

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Will Hold Variety Supper

The Ladies Aid society of Valley Chapel on the Scioto Trail will give a variety supper next Friday evening.

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CRITICS BUSY RATING PLAYERS FOR ALL EASTERN ELEVEN

Mahan And Barrett Are Sure Of Places; Others Are In Doubt

New York, Nov. 30.—The close of the season of football finds wide variance of opinion among close followers of intercollegiate play regarding the final rating of the leading elevens and the players to be selected for the mythical All-Eastern team. Certain players, such as Barrett, of Cornell, and Mahan, of Harvard, are unanimous choices, but in other positions a half dozen candidates are put forward, all having excellent claim for consideration.

High class backfield material was abundant as well as heavy, powerful men for the center line, but there was a scarcity of brilliant ends and quarterbacks. Soucy, Harvard; Lamberton, Princeton; Higgins, Penn State; Shelton, Cornell and Stewart of Colgate, all have their backers for the wing tip positions. At tackle Gilman of Harvard, is the popular choice, with Abell, Colgate; Schultz, Washington and Lee; Farman, Brown; Nash, Rutgers, and McAliffe, of Dartmouth in the running. For guards, Spear, Dartmouth; hite and Schlachter, Syracuse; Hogg, Princeton and Black of Yale, are the leading candidates.

For the backfield, Barrett, of Cornell, is the logical quarterback while Mahan, Harvard, leads in the race for fullback. There is not the same unanimous opinion regarding the two halfbacks. Hastings, Pittsburgh; Wilkinson, Syracuse; Oliphant, Army; King, Harvard; Tolman, Rutgers; Berryman, Penn State; Rose, Syracuse; Scovil, Yale; Gilley, Colgate, and many others are offered as fine material.

The following players are in the lead:

Ends—Soucy, Harvard and Higgins, Penn State.

Tackle—Gilman, Harvard and Abell, Colgate.

Guards—Spear, Dartmouth and White, Syracuse.

Center—Peck, Pittsburgh.

Quarterback—Barrett, Cornell.

Halfbacks—Wilkinson, Syracuse, and Hastings, Pittsburgh.

Fullback—Mahan, Harvard.

Heine Groh Made Wonderful Record

Fielding averages of the National league, just issued, show that the Reds were practically tied with Boston for the lead—that the two teams ran so closely that the average-maker had to stretch the figures out, the final being Boston .96648, Cincinnati .96647.

Pittsburgh and St. Louis were also extremely close.

Fred Mollwitz was the real leader of the first basemen with a percentage of .996, and also had more chances on the base than any other first-sacker, showing the value of his extension-pole reach and his scoop-like hands. Heinie Groh, in 29 games, was the nominal leader of the second basemen, with a percentage of .973, the real leader being Cutshaw of Brooklyn, who amassed the extraordinary record of .971 in 154 games. But Groh bobs up as the real third base leader, with the startling record of .960 in 131 games. The great old Wagner led the shortstops with .948, Buck Herzog following with 945.

Expert Shaw At Playhouse Today

Devotees of pocket billiards and straight billiards will no doubt flock to the Play House tonight to see Lew Shaw exhibit his skill with a cue stick.

He is said to be one of the best pool and billiard players in the country and pool players and billiardists will miss a rare treat if they do not see this expert in action.

Manager Gableman of the Play House has arranged for chair service all around his big pool room, which will insure all guests a good seat. Shaw will play a straight rail billiard game of 100 or no count and will play anybody pool 15 or no count.

Immediately after his exhibition tonight Shaw will execute some fancy shots and will lecture on the game. He will be at the Play House Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock and Wednesday night in addition to having an afternoon engagement today.

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Hart Wants To Umpire

Billy Hart, at one time one of the famous pitchers in baseball is flirting with trouble. He wants to become an umpire. Some people don't know when they are well off. Hart's home is in Cincinnati. Gee, but some people are handicapped.

Waverly Is After Games

Waverly has organized a basket ball team and it is ready to play any team in Portsmouth. Address challenges to Sidney Keeble, Waverly, O.

FT. WAYNE CLUB GOES ON BLOCK

Ft. Wayne, Ind., Nov. 30—E. W. Dickerson, of Grand Rapids, newly elected president of the Central League, has made public a letter from W. C. Klitzke, president of the Ft. Wayne team and owner of the majority of the stock, in which he says that because of ill health he plans to sever his connection with baseball and that the Ft. Wayne franchise is for sale.

AGREE ON THORPE AND SHEVLIN

Eastern football critics, now that the gridiron season is over, have taken up the task of picking the two best players, who ever wore the moleskins.

They have practically agreed that Jim Thorpe is the best all round player, who ever trotted out on any gridiron and that Tom Shevlin follows closely on the Indian's heels for this honor.

While at Yale Shevlin enjoyed the distinction of breaking up every play attempted around his end.

PEERLESS LEAGUE OPENED, BIG INDIVIDUAL IS MADE, MUCH INTEREST DISPLAYED

Standing of Teams

Team	P	W	L	Pct.
Invincibles	3	2	1	.667
Crystal Palace ...	3	2	1	.667
Play House	3	1	2	.335
Kandy Kids	3	1	2	.333

Games Next Monday

Invincibles vs. Play House at Play House alleys.

Kandy Kids vs. Crystal Palace at Crystal Palace alleys.

With a right royal good will and with a considerable amount of commendable pepper, the Peerless Bowling League opened the season of 1915-16, Monday evening, when the four teams met on the running boards to begin their race for the pennant. Fortune was kind, indeed, to the Invincibles and Crystal Palace teams, the former taking two out of three from the Kandy Kids at the Crystal Palace alley, while the Crystal Palace aggregation tripped up the Play House quintet at the Play House alleys.

Large bunches of rooters lined the alleys and yelled encouragement to the pin artists as the new wood caved in against the assault of the mineralites. And despite fact that not a player has rounded into the best playing form, fairly good scores were made. To the Invincibles went the honor of making high scores, and had it not been for three fouls made by two of their men, would have shoved their noses into the 900 circle. Captain Byron Prediger was absent and turned over the job of running the team to F. W. Sheridan, who had one of his biggest nights, getting a total of 651, good for an average of 217, getting through the evening without making a single error, and but one split looming up on the horizon, said split coming in the ninth frame of the third game. George Wilhelm was second man for the Invincibles, totalling 217 in his last effort, making six strikes in a row. John Doherty, lead off man for the Invincibles, did quite well, and showed that he would have to be reckoned with this season. His wide hook worked a little too freely for spares, but at that he got his share. James was making his debut as a big leaguer, and had considerable trouble with the foul line. However, he also gives considerable promise and will be heard from before the bell taps. LeMasters started out at a terrific clip, but fouled on a turkey in his first game and this seemed to rattle him. He was there in the pinch, however, and helped his team to victory. Wilhelm hit into some extremely hard luck in the first two games and then swung into action with all sorts of skill, pulling down 217 and much happiness.

Captain Walters was the boss shooter for the Kandy Kids, although to save his life he could not get into the charmed circle. He finished the evening with an average of 186, which is quite clever, thank you. Smith had a bad night but kept plugging along and showed that that old hook was still his, even though it was untamed. Captain Malavazos started out like a huge engine, gathering 210 for his first game. He came right back with 171 but fell down a trifle in his third game, garnering but 157. Jim Distel was fair. Ordinarily a 190 bowler, he had some trouble in controlling the ball in the opening game. After that he traveled at a pretty even clip and showed much determination and destructive ability. Jim Wanless, president of the league, will never have such luck as he encountered last night. We don't mean luck, hang it, but tough luck. In the first game he hit into no less than seven splits. In his sandwich game he was not particularly ashamed of his work, but he hid his face when 103 loomed up in the third game. He did not have his usual speed and the pins fell hard.

Down at the Play House alleys the Crystal Palace team took two from the Play House Kids. The scores were low, the players evidently being afflicted with stage fright. Sargent led off for the Play House and could not reach so much as 120. Nick Shively was taking his first lesson as a regular and showed that he is going to be a big leaguer forty ways from the jack. Mantel did fine, considering the fact that up until last night he had hardly glimpsed at a mineralite. He grew better as the games progressed and will be there all over from now on. Jeffords was just fair, hitting into some bad breaks. Captain Mansfield was off his stride, not having been on an alley for several months. He will get set now and make up for lost time. Graves rolled but one game and found the going pretty good.

For the Crystal Palace team Elmer Heisel had the satisfaction of making the only 200 score, gathering 202 in his first game. He had high average for his team. Joe Doll was second best, rolling a very consistent game. Captain Bullock came next, his last game being 187. The Bertram brothers seemed to be a little bewildered at the new surroundings, but both are artists and will hit their stride on their own alleys.

Lou Distel, of the Crystal Palace alleys announced he would give $1.50 for the highest scores, both at ten and duck pins. The scores:

Invincibles—			
Doherty	157	132	176
James	103	139	137
LeMasters	188	132	195
Wilhelm	160	149	217
Sheridan	211	216	224
Totals	839	769	889
Kandy Kids—			
Smith	134	159	124
Malavazos	210	171	157
Distel	151	180	167
Wanless	112	164	103
Walters	182	178	196
Totals	789	842	749
Play House—			
Sargent	110	...	118
Shively	155	174	132
Mantell	136	160	180
Jeffords	151	163	145
Mansfield	146	121	...
Graves	...	155	112
Totals	698	773	667
Crystal Palace—			
Doll	135	182	159
T. Bertram	120	144	142
F. Bertram	169	123	150
Heisel	202	147	150
Bullock	137	120	187
Totals	763	716	788

All Western Eleven

Chicago, Nov. 30.—Good foot-ball backs were plentiful; but good linemen scarce in the central states, according to critics who assumed the task of picking all-western itself, is a misnomer, for only the limited territory from Ohio to Nebraska, inclusive, is covered in the search for talent.

In the selections available, the following have received the greatest number of votes:

Ends—Chamberlain, Nebraska, and Baston, Minnesota.

Tackles—Buck, Wisconsin, and Shull, Chicago.

Guards — Fitzgerald, Notre Dame, and Dunnigan, Minnesota.

Center—Watson, Illinois.

Quarterback—Russell, Chicago.

Halfbacks—Maulbetsch, Michigan, with Rutherford, Nebraska and MacComber, Illinois, equally divided.

Fullback—Bierman, Minnesota.

Gunboat Smith Put To Sleep By Coffey

New York, Nov. 30—Jim Coffey, the Irish heavyweight, knocked out Gunboat Smith, of this city, in the fourth round of their ten-round match at Madison Square Garden last night.

The fight was a hard one from the start. Coffey had the advantage nearly all the way and punished his opponent severely. Coffey weighed 202 pounds and Smith 180 1-2. The knockout came after one minute and 55 seconds of milling in the fourth round. Coffey landed a hard blow on the body and several seconds later put a right swing to the jaw, which sent Smith down for the count.

JUDGE MILNER TO BE SPEAKER

Judge J. C. Milner of this city will deliver the memorial address at the annual lodge of sofrow to be held next Sunday by the Athens Lodge of B. P. O. Elks of Athens, Ohio.

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Count fifty! Your cold in head or catarrh disappears. Your clogged nostrils will open, the air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more snuffling, hawking, mucous discharge, dryness or headache; no struggling for breath at night.

Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist and apply a little of this fragrant antiseptic cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothing and healing the swollen or inflamed mucous membrane, giving you instant relief. Head colds and catarrh yield like magic. Don't stay stuffed-up and miserable. Relief is sure.

Probation Officer Here

Miss Emily Greer, probation officer for the Girls' Industrial School at Delaware, was in Portsmouth Monday on official business.

Health and Happiness Depend Upon Your Liver

That sluggish liver with its sluggish flow of bile is what makes the world look so dark at times. Dr. King's New Life Pills go straight to the root of the difficulty by waking up the action of the liver and increasing the bile. Dr. King's New Life Pills cause the bowels to act more freely and drive away those "moody days." 25c. a bottle.

Will Probated

The will of the late John J. Schmank was admitted to probate in probate court this afternoon. The entire estate of the deceased is bequeathed to his widow, Emily Schmank.

Sober and competent workmen with Brehmer, the Painter, 1tf

Cornell And Pitt Did Not Lose Game

The following table show the games won, lost and tied among the principal colleges of the East this year:

Teams	G.	W.	L.	T.	Pts.	Op.Pts.
Cornell	9	9	..	..	287	50
Pittsburgh	8	8	..	..	247	26
Columbia	5	5	..	..	126	28
Harvard	9	8	1	..	164	36
W. and J.	10	8	1	1	213	45
Lafayette	11	8	3	..	206	112
Union	8	7	1	..	57	10
F. and Mar.	8	7	1	..	229	30
Dartmouth	9	7	1	1	194	40
Georgetown	9	7	2	..	317	40
Penn. State	9	7	2	..	148	51
Syracuse	10	7	1	2	268	16
Colgate	7	6	1	..	221	38
Princeton	8	6	2	..	136	33
Amherst	8	5	4	..	81	66
Swarthmore	8	5	3	..	94	71
Brown	9	5	3	1	166	32
Army	9	5	3	1	114	57
Navy	9	3	5	1	99	118
Yale	9	4	5	..	83	98
Penn.	10	4	4	2	124	73
Carlisle	11	3	6	2	84	197

NO CAPTAIN CHOSEN

The seventeen lettered men of the Portsmouth high school foot-ball eleven held a meeting Monday afternoon to elect a captain for next season. The members could not agree and will hold another meeting.

Must Pay Own Fines

Boston, Nov. 30.—The Boston Nationals, whose "kicking" tactics on the baseball field during the past season were criticized in some quarters will improve their conduct next year, if President James E. Gaffney has his way. In a letter mailed today to everyone of the Braves under contract, the club executive announces his determination that the conduct of the team shall be above criticism.

"Umpire baiting is a thing of the past. It is a detriment to the winning of pennants," he continued. "Every player who is fined by an umpire next season must pay his own fine.

CRISPETTES IN DEMAND

Harry Strong of the Portsmouth Crispette company remembered The Times force Monday with a supply of delicious pop corn crispettes. Two dozen fresh crispettes taken from the crispette machine in a few minutes were quickly disposed of by The Times force. The crispettes are making a hit and are disposed of as fast as they can be made. All grocers have crispettes for sale.

DUNWAY CONCERT CO. HERE THURSDAY NIGHT

Thursday evening the fourth number of the high school lecture course will be given in the high school auditorium. The Dunway Concert company consisting of Miss Hetty J. Dunway and Miss Mabel Vaun.

The company presents the beautiful and artistic creation "The Lady of the Decoration" in a medley program of songs, humorous stories, costume selections and character delineations from the poems and prose of today. Miss Dunaway has prepared an elaborate adaptation of Frances Little's charming story "The Lady of the Decoration" with ten different changes of costumes the program being to musical accompaniment. Miss Mabel Vann is concert pianist and musical director. Miss Dunaway is unusually versatile, her humor is spontaneous and her appreciation of pathos keen.

Want Road Improved

Trustees of Clay township called on Prosecuting Attorney Micklethwait this afternoon to seek his advice about the transfer of money from one fund to another to make possible the improvement of the township road leading from Long Run to Davis Station.

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WELLS BEATEN BY JOHNNY GRIFFITHS

Akron, O., Nov. 30—Johnny Griffiths, of this city, won in fairly easy fashion from Matt Wells, former English champion, last night in their 12 round go. Wells did not get started until the last three rounds of the fight and then found that Griffiths was there, with every sort of attack. Griffiths' left reached Wells almost at will during the final round.

BIDDY BEERS IN LEAGUE

Biddy Beers, who managed the Charleston team the past two seasons is now employed by a telephone company in Charleston. His father operates an exchange in Armstrong, Ia. Biddy is a member of the Pastime Bowling league in Charleston and last night in three games he totaled 553, making the scores of 17, 193 and 185.

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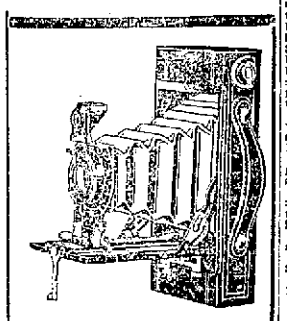

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Tea Store Scene Of Robbery; Police Work On Slight Clue

The Inter-City Tea and Coffee Company's store at No. 822 Gallia street was entered some time Sunday afternoon and over $100 were stolen from an office desk, it is claimed.

Entrance to the store was gained by breaking the glass of a side window and turning the latch.

A neighbor woman heard the glass fall, but attributed it to the wind-storm that was raging at the time. The police are investigating the robbery and claim to have a slight clue to the guilty parties.

Excelsior Plant Turning Out 3,600 Pairs Of Shoes Per Day

Humming merrily in all departments the plant of the Excelsior Shoe Company located on Gallia street is now turning out 3,600 pairs of shoes daily and the prospects are so bright that the number may be increased at any time, according to General Manager John E. Williams.

The fitting room in the branch plant in Ironton will be operated Wednesday morning after having been idle for some time. E. E. McKee will be in charge of this department.

The Excelsior Shoe Company advertised for all of their old girls to return to the plant in Ironton and 40 made applications for their old jobs.

Installs Tables

A representative of the Brunswick-Balke-Collender Company, of Cincinnati, arrived in Portsmouth Sunday night to install the four billiard tables in the new Elks' club rooms in the Play House building. He started to work early this morning, and will probably finish the work this evening. Four tables are being installed, three pocket billiard tables and one regulation billiard table.

Attended Wedding

William Brehmer and son Theodore returned today from Chesapeake, O., where they attended the marriage of a relative Saturday.

Thousands of People Use This for Pains and Aches

One of the best things for any pain or ache is the old and well-known Circus Liniment. This remedy has been used with very satisfactory results on man and beast for more than 15 years, and quickly takes out the soreness and swelling in sprains, bruises and infected cuts or wounds, and gives prompt relief in rheumatism, lame back, pleurisy and neuralgia. Usually but a few applications are required to entirely banish the trouble. Circus Liniment is sold on a money-back guarantee and can be had at any drug store, including

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LEGAL NOTICE

Sealed proposals will be received by the Director of Public Service of the City of Portsmouth, Ohio at the office of said Director, until twelve o'clock, noon, Wednesday, December 8, 1915, for the furnishing of necessary materials and performing the labor necessary for the excavation and filling, concrete work, sewer construction, brick work, iron work, and for furnishing and installing pumps, engines and engine room equipment, for construction of a Flood Protection Wall, in the City of Portsmouth, Ohio, along the bank of the Ohio River from Chillicothe street to Offnere street and equipping same with a flood defense pumping station, according to the plans, descriptions, estimates and specifications now on file in the office of said Director of Public Service. Each bid must contain the full name of every person, or company, interested in the same and be accompanied by a bond in the sum of $4500.00 to the satisfaction of the Director of Public Service, or a certified check on some solvent bank, payable to the order of David E. Edwards, City Treasurer, in the said amount, as guaranty, that if the bid is accepted, a contract will be entered into and its performance properly secured. Should any bid be rejected such check or bond will be returned forthwith to the bidder, and should any bid be accepted such check will be returned upon the proper execution and securing of contract.

Bids must be submitted in sealed envelopes addressed to Mr. William Gorgens, Sr., Director of Public Service, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Proposals shall be submitted on the printed form, furnished by the City, on application.

Plans may be seen and specifications and blank forms of proposals procured at the office of the Director of Public service, Portsmouth, Ohio.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Director of Public Service.

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Mayor Wants His Books In Good Shape

Mayor Adam Frick has addressed a letter to State Auditor A. V. Donahey asking him to arrange for an audit of his books during the month of December so that he will have everything in readiness to turn over to his successor, January 1st.

Homeward Bound

Lafayette Taylor, who has been enjoying an extended hunting trip in British Columbia, Monday, wired his son, V. S. Taylor, of this city, that he would reach Cincinnati Tuesday evening and would probably arrive in Portsmouth Wednesday. Mr. Taylor has been gone since August 1.

ON THE HONOR ROLL

The Honor Roll of the Fullerton graded school, advanced intermediate department contains the name of six pupils as follows: Fourth grade Lena Thomson, Violet Blaine and Hazel Dowdy; fifth grade, Hazel Bailey, Viola Rice, Roy McGarey. Miss Nettie Miller is teacher of the grades. The pupils average over 90 per cent.

BAPTIZED IN THE OHIO

Six of the converts of the recent revival conducted by Evangelist Harry Edwards, at the New Boston Christian church, were baptized in the Ohio river at the foot of Ohio avenue, by William Adams Sunday afternoon at 2:30 p. m.

Those who obeyed their Lord in the ordinance of baptism Sunday afternoon in the river were Robert Meeks, John Sanford, Clarence Sanford, Chester Sanford, Roy McNeal and Mrs. Sarah Cornett.

John A. Sheppard Named As Trustee

Huntington, W. Va., Nov. 30.—John A. Sheppard yesterday was appointed trustee of the bankrupt firm of the Prindle Furniture company, Huntington and Charleston, when creditors met in the office of Federal Referee in Bankruptcy T. R. Sheppard. The creditors did not have a quorum present, the trustees being appointed by the referee. Mr. Sheppard, who has been receiver, was required to furnish a bond of $25,000. The First National bank was made depository of all funds also furnishing a $25,000 bond.

Appraisers filed reports of the valuation of the Huntington and Charleston stores, respectively $7,807 and $7,127. In the schedules filed by the company the valuations were placed at $19,000 and $16,000.

The company filed schedules showing $96,141 open accounts due and a piece of real estate worth $3,000. It is estimated the accounts will bring something over ten per cent and the real estate about $2,000. The stock of goods at Huntington and Charleston should bring from $8,000 to $15,000, according to the estimate. The company has liabilities of approximately $115,000.

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Check Forger Is Held To Grand Jury

Through a mixup in affidavits The Times Monday had Charles Jones, who forged the name of his benefactor, John E. Williams, to a couple of checks, let off with a fine of $25 and costs when in fact the mayor held him to the grand jury in the sum of $200, in default of which he was committed to the county jail.

FOUND IN THEATRE

Fern Spurlock, 12-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Spurlock, of No. 121 Offnere street, who left her home at nine o'clock Monday morning and did not return at noon was found by her mother in a local picture theatre about four o'clock.

SIDEWALKS NEED ADJUSTING

The mayor has again called the attention of the public service department to the need of adjusting the sidewalks at Seventeenth and High streets to the grade of the present street or curb. Unless property owners make some move in that direction the situation will be brought to the notice of city council, it is said.

HOME FROM THE COAST

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Monroe have returned from a delightful six week's trip through the West. They visited the Expositions in California, spent much time in Arizona, Yosemite Park, Grand Canyon, and enroute home they stopped off in Salt Lake City and Denver. Mr. Monroe is a well-known paving contractor and is a member of the firm of S. Monroe & Son.

DEAL IS CLOSED

A deal was closed Monday afternoon whereby Jacob P. Findeis disposed of his business property, located on Gallia pike, near the car turn into Millbrook park, to H. C. Copeland.

The property, which is one of the oldest saloon stands in New Boston, was sold by Mr. Findeis at a good figure. It is at present occupied by the new owner's son, Harry Copeland, a popular young saloonkeeper, who has enjoyed a thriving business ever since locating in that place.

GREAT THEMES DISCUSSED

Modern scientific scholarship has done much in the field of bible study to throw light upon many problems which for years baffled the exegetes and has successfully solved many scriptural difficulties. The Rev. E. F. Chauncey, who is preaching the Nation Wide Mission at All Saints church this week, is one of the best equipped students of the world's best book in Ohio, and all lovers of Holy Writ ought to make a point of hearing his exposition of some of the greatest themes being discussed.

Nominations Made By Magnolia K. of P.

Notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather, Magnolia Lodge, Knights of Pythias, had a splendid attendance Monday evening. The exemplification of the Knighthood Rank always draws a full house, and last night was no exception. Two candidates, Harry Pressler and Harry Le Master, were made full-fledged knights, with all the splendor of costuming and ritualistic ceremony for which Magnolia Lodge is noted, the magnificent degree team, under the able leadership of Master of the Work, George T. Swabby, putting on the degree in a faultless manner. Several visitors from other lodges witnessed the impressive ceremonies. After the degree work, cigars were passed and the lodge enjoyed a smoker and social hour.

Before the degree work the new officers for the first half of 1916 were placed in nomination. They are:

Chancellor Commander—Clyde Barber.

Vice Chancellor Commander—Fred Larcamp.

Prelate—Floyd Saylor.

Master of Work—Geo. T. Swabby.

Keeper of Records and Seals—Philip Pfarr.

Master of Finance—A. S. Patton.

Master of Exchequer—W. F. Blankemeyer.

Master-at-Arms—Harry Eichorn.

Inside Guard—Henry Becker.

Outside Guard—Walter Corriell, G. C. Holston, Harry Willis and Harry Reinhart.

Trustee—Arthur Flowers.

All nominations are renominations of present officers, or promotions, with the exception of Outside Guard, the first step to the official chairs, and for this office a spirited, but friendly, contest will be waged. The election will occur next meeting, first Monday in December, and new officers will be installed at the first meeting in January.

Massie Lodge will place their new officers in nomination next Thursday evening.

Mr. Ehret In City

Henry Ehret, an old Portsmouth boy arrived in the city Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lewis, of Fourth and Gay streets. Mr. Ehret was enroute from Cincinnati to Johnson City, Tenn., where he is at the head of a company that operates a machine shop and boiler works. Mr. Ehret was for many years a resident of Portsmouth.

Glass of Hot Water Before Breakfast a Splendid Habit

Open sluices of the system each morning and wash away the poisonous, stagnant matter.

Those of us who are accustomed to cold dull and heavy when we arise; splitting headache, stuffy from a cold foul tongue, nasty breath, acid stomach, lame back, can, instead both look and feel as fresh as a daisy always by washing the poisons and toxins from the body with phosphated hot water each morning.

We should drink, before breakfast a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to flush from the stomach, liver kidneys and ten yards of bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour bile and poisonous toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary tract before putting more food into the stomach.

The action of limestone phosphate and hot water on an empty stomach is wonderfully invigorating. It clears out all the sour fermentations, gases, caste and acidity and gives one a splendid appetite for breakfast and it is said to be but a little while until the roses begin to appear in the cheeks. A quarter pound of limestone phosphate will cost very little at the drug store, but is sufficient to make anyone who is bothered with biliousness, constipation, stomach trouble or rheumatism a real enthusiast on the subject of internal sanitation. Try it and you are assured that you will look better and feel better in every way shortly.

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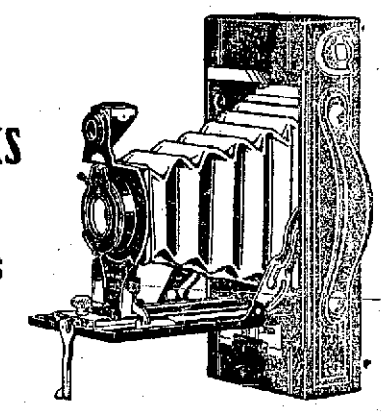

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She knows they contain the nutritious, wholesome, bone-and-muscle-making qualities of selected winter wheat flour. She knows they are made by the most expert bakers in our model, modern bakery, where there is a world of sunshine and pure air.

She knows her grocer gets them fresh from the Edgemont ovens, in the double-enameled metal box, which is as fine as any cake-box ever seen. She knows Edgemont crackers are always packed in that metal box, which holds eight pounds, and is enameled green on the outside to make her remember Green & Green, and *pure spotless white on the inside* to insure and guarantee freshness, purity and quality. That white inside enamel is as impervious as glass. Could *you* imagine a better container for crackers?

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Buy them by the pound at 10c, if you like. They're guaranteed to be fresh always. But most housewives find it more satisfactory to have a plentiful supply in the pantry.

Since the double-enameled box insures that the last cracker taken from it will be as fresh and good as the first one, they deposit only 50 cents with the grocer for the double-enameled box. When it is empty the deposit is refunded, or a new box exchanged for it, just as you exchange milk bottles.

Buy a pound now. Try them—you'll always want them.

When you see anything green, think of "Edgemont" Brand—101 different kinds of crackers and cakes

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Miss Dolly Wise

She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony troubles, woes, etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, O. Office Phone 60.

Dear Miss Dolly.—What makes the girls of this town shy at an educated young man? I pride myself on the fact that I know about all there is to know and also dress about as well as any young man can dress and yet I can't hold a girl very long. I very seldom get to call the second time. I know I'm nice looking, because folks have told me so, and I know I'm interesting, so what is the reason? Girls ought to be proud to go with a good-looking chap like me. Is it because they are afraid of my intelligence or what? Please answer quick.

EDUCATED BOY.

One reason is that you think too much of yourself. If you go through the same rigmarole that you have written me to every girl you meet, I don't wonder that they "shy" away every time they see you coming. Even if you are all you say you are, don't you think they are just as clever people in the world as you are, even if they are not always telling people how much they know. You cannot jump into people's affection, you have to move slowly and study as you go. I think if you will forget about yourself for awhile and get interested in some sensible girl, and try and make this particular person like you, you will succeed.

Dear Miss Wise.—How can I have a good clear skin? I have blotches and brown spots on my face and they are very embarrassing at times. MRS. J. D. T.

I can only recommend strict cleanliness, daily baths, friction of the skin, and careful attention to all that pertains to the sewage of the system; avoidance of rich foods and a plentiful fruit diet the year round. Don't clog the pores of the skin with powder and cosmetics of various kinds. If you follow these rules you should have a fairly good complexion.

Dear Miss Wise.—At what age should a child walk? My little baby is 11 months old, yet he has never tried to walk.

ANXIOUS MOTHER.

It depends upon the child. I have known children to walk at nine months and others who did not walk until they were 15 months old. Don't try to force him to walk or his legs will be bowed. When he does start to walk he will lead you a merry chase.

Dear Miss Wise.—Will cocoa butter make the face fat? I am awfully thin. I have a good appetite and am in perfect health. What can I do to make my face fuller? GERTRUDE.

Nothing will make the face fat without making the whole body fleshier. A gentle massage with any good cold cream, will make the face look better. Get a cleansing cream and massage with this before going to bed. Wipe all the cream off the face when through massaging.

Dear Miss Wise.—Can you tell me the age of Clara Kimball Young, the movie actress?

WANT-TO-KNOW.

Ages are the private property of those to whom they belong, and therefore do not interest me in the least.

Dear Miss Wise.—When a boy calls upon a girl what should he talk about. I am going to call on a girl Wednesday night and my chum says it is not permissible to talk about anything but the weather and the moon. Is that so, Dolly?

A YOUNG MAN.

Talk about current events, the different amusements, which one you prefer, and let the girl talk about herself, she will like you ever so much better if you do. Girls as a rule, can always find something to talk about, if they have to resort to nonsense, so don't worry about the conversation.

Dear Miss Wise.—Can you tell me how I could clean a pair of white kid gloves at home?

MABEL.

Naptha or chloroform, or a mixture of both. Dip a clean cloth in the liquid and scrap a small section of the glove at a time, then wipe off with another clean cloth moistened with the liquid. A mixture of gasoline and flour will also clean them.

Dear Miss Wise.—Do you think a girl ought to know how to cook and do housework before she marries, even if she will never have to do these things?

ENGAGED GIRL.

Yes, she should know all about housekeeping. No matter how rich the man, a wife is often compelled by circumstances to do the cooking and look after the other household duties. Then too she is better able to direct her servants when she knows how things ought to be done. By all means learn how to cook and sew if possible.

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SOCIETY

Mrs. James W. Bannon, Jr., was hostess at this afternoon's meeting of the Tuesday Afternoon Sewing Club. Mrs. S. D. Ruggles and guest, Miss Edith Eisman, of Oklahoma City, were the only guests. Refreshments followed the art needlework. Mrs. W. B. Altsman will be hostess at the next meeting.

Mrs. Walter Goodman, with Mrs. S. A. Ingles as assisting hostess, will entertain with a social at the Goodman home, 1317 Third street, for the benefit of Section Two of the First Christian church, on Monday evening, December 6th. The date of the social has been changed from Tuesday till Monday, on account of the Shelton lecture Tuesday, December 7, and the desire of so many to attend both entertainments.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Sherman, of Wheelersburg, have made the announcement of the engagement of their only daughter, Miss Edith Margaret, to Mr. Stephen Hensgen, a prominent former of Wait's Station. The wedding will take place at the home of the bride's parents in the near future.

The meeting of the Woman's Literary Club, called for Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Samuel Horchow, has been called off.

Mrs. E. D. Steevns will entertain the Saturday Afternoon Whist Club at her home on Fifth street Saturday afternoon and at the same time will entertain the Dalton Auction Bridge Club for the pleasure of Miss Elizabeth Watkins, fiancee of Mr. Charles Owen Dodson, of Terre Haute, Ind.

What About Your Daughter? You and Her Both Should See

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The Frances Badger Guild of All Saints church held an interesting meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Miss Ruth Thompson, where officers for the new year were elected as follows:

President—Miss Katherine Moeller.

Vice-President—Mrs. John G. Dillon.

Secretary—Miss Pauline Wilhelm.

Treasurer—Miss Ruth Thompson.

Miss Katherine Newman, of Columbus, was a guest. The business was followed by refreshments. The next meeting will not be held until after Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Adams will entertain the Wild Cat Club Friday evening at their home on Fifth street.

Mr. Arthur Lloyd, who has been visiting relatives in Ironton, stopped last night with relatives on his way home to Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. Filmore Musser had as guests Sunday Mrs. Musser's sister, Mrs. Samuel Matheson, of Charleston, W. Va., Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Guptill, of Boston, Mass., Mr and Mrs. Charles Austin, of Haverhill, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Oakes and son, Donald.

Harry Revare, who has been in Chicago on business, will arrive in Cincinnati tomorrow for a short stay before coming home.

Mrs. A. E. Everard, who is visiting in Saegerstown, Pa., is much improved in health.

Mrs. Filmore Musser and sister, Mrs. Samuel Matheson, of Charleston, W. Va., spent the day Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Duduit, on Fifth street.

Mrs. A. W. Wood, of Seventeenth street, is spending a few days at the home of her grandson and granddaughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Applegate, on Third street.

Miss Pauline Wilhelm rendered a beautiful solo last evening at the mission service at All Saints church. This evening Miss Gertrude Schmidt will sing a solo.

Mrs. Joseph Brown will entertain the Jewish Kaffee Klatch Thursday afternoon at her home, 1721 Hutchins street.

Miss Ilce Marquette will entertain at dinner this evening at her home on Seventh street for the pleasure of her cousin, Thomas Bateman, of Piketon, who is here reading law in the office of Bannon & Bannon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Sennet, of Timmonds avenue, entertained at cards last evening Mr. and Mrs. Howard McCoy, Miss Lenora Like, Miss Alice Stout, Mr. Murray McCoy and Mr. Otho Sennett. At the end of the game delicious pink and white ice cream, cake and mints were served at the card tables.

Section Two of the First Christian church, will meet in the church Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Watson Goddard and baby have returned from a week end visit with Mr. Goddard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Goddard, in Wellston.

Miss Edith Eisman, of Oklahoma City, is visiting at the home of Mrs. S. D. Ruggles and will also visit among other friends before going home.

Mrs. L. P. Hubleman leaves tomorrow for a visit in Cleveland.

The Portsmouth Reading Club held an interesting meeting last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mark W. Selby, on Fourth street. The reading of a modern play, "The Boomerang," a comedy by Winchell Smith. Mrs. Howard Williamson read the synopsis. The characters were as follows:

Dr. Sumner—Mr. B. H. Dillon.

Young Budd Woodbridge—Mr. W. D. Gilliland.

Mrs. Woodbridge, Budd's mother—Mrs. Mark W. Selby.

Miss Virginia Xelva, the nurse—Mrs. C. M. Searl.

Mr. Preston DeWitt—Mr. Maurice Coe.

Mr. Stone—Dr. Howard Williamson.

The reading of the original story, "The Eternal Problem," which was written by Mrs. C. M. Searl, part first; Mrs. W. H. Schwartz, part second, and Mrs. J. W. Dunning, part third, was ended at this meeting. Mrs. Grace Grizzell, of Tiffin, was an out-of-town guest. Refreshments followed the program. The new programs for the next series were distributed. They were arranged by Mrs. Williamson, Mrs Searl and Mrs. Gilliland. The next meeting will be held December 13th, at the home of Mr. S. R. Ross and Miss Anna Ross, on Court street.

Mrs. George D. Selby's handsome home on Gallia avenue was the scene of a delightful party this afternoon when she invited thirty friends to help celebrate her birthday anniversary. Among the guests invited from out of town were Mrs. F. E. Heyward, of Ironton, Mrs. J. B. Mackey, of Wheelersburg, and Mrs. Grace Grizzell, of Tiffin, who is the guest of Mrs. Mark W. Selby. An amusing diversion was the passing of old-time pictures of the guests. Mrs. Selby had secretly arranged to borrow a picture of each guest in their younger days, and when they were distributed some of the guests hardly knew their own pictures. This feature of the party was most entertaining, it being the cause of much amusement. In serving a delicious repast Mrs. Selby was assisted by her three daughters-in-law, Mrs. P. E. Selby, Mrs. Mark W. Selby and Mrs. Homer C. Selby.

The Home League sale of articles from the Blind Guild of Columbus was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. T. M. Patterson, on Ninth street. These articles were also on sale this afternoon at the meeting of the Second Presbyterian Woman's Missionary Society at the home of Mrs. John E. Williams. They will also be on sale at the meeting of the Home League Club Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Filmore Musser.

Mr. and Mrs. George Oakes, of Washington C. H., will arrive in the city early next week to visit Mr. Oakes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Oakes, of 1726 Eighth street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bierley and son, Harold, of Hutchins street, have returned from a visit to relatives at Carrs, Ky., and Manchester.

Miss Mary Varner will soon issue invitations to a linen shower for Wednesday afternoon, December 8, in honor of Miss Elizabeth Watkins.

Mrs. Frank Appel's class of Trinity Methodist Sunday school will meet Thursday evening at the home of Miss Ethel McCall, on Gallia street.

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Get from any druggist 2½ ounces of Pinex (50 cents worth), pour it in a pint bottle and fill the bottle with plain granulated sugar syrup. This gives you—at a cost of only 54 cents—a full pint of better cough syrup than you could buy for $2.50. Takes but a few minutes to prepare. Full directions with Pinex. Tastes good and never spoils.

You will be pleasantly surprised how quickly it loosens dry, hoarse or tight coughs, and heals the inflamed membranes in a painful cough. It also stops the formation of phlegm in the throat and bronchial tubes, thus ending the persistent loose cough.

Pinex is a most valuable concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, rich in guaiacol, which is so healing to the membranes.

To avoid disappointment, be sure and ask your druggist for "2½ ounces Pinex," and don't accept anything else.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Heron and daughter, Mrs. Frank Ansted, of Connersville, Ind., who have been in the East, arrived today for a short visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel M. Johnson, on Second street.

Every Person In This City Should See

"THE BLINDNESS OF VIRTUE"

Columbia Tomorrow

THOSE housewives who have known the fuss and worry of bread baking days are the ones who are loudest in their praise of the genuine—

From *The Model Bakery* Daily

10c The Loaf

ADAM PFAU'S **MILK MAID BREAD**

TIMES SERVICE PATTERN 1483

1483. A new and stylish model.

Costume for Misses and Small Women (with body lining and Chemisetta.)

This attractive style was developed in green taffeta, with dotted net for the chemisette, and collar and chiffon for the sleeves. It will also be pretty for brown charmeuse or black velvet, and is likewise good for serge, cashmere, repp, poplin and satin. The waist fronts are cut low beneath the chemisette. The sleeve is new and pretty, with soft skirrings at the wrist. The skirt is full and gathered. The pattern is cut in three sizes: 16, 18 and 20 years. It requires 6½ yards of 44-inch material for an 18-year size. The skirt measures about 3½ yards at the foot.

A pattern of this illustration mailed to any address on receipt of 10c in silver or stamps.

CAUTION—Order adult patterns by number of pattern, giving bust measure for waist patterns, and waist measure for skirt patterns. For Misses and Children give number of pattern and age only.

COUPON

This pattern will be sent on receipt of 10 cents. Make number, name, address, etc., plain. Send to Pattern Department, Portsmouth Daily Times, Portsmouth, Ohio.

No. 1483 Size.....Age (for child) .....

Name .....

Street and Number .....

City .....State .....

COOK BOOK FREE

THE woman who buys a can of Crisco will find a coupon on the wrapper.

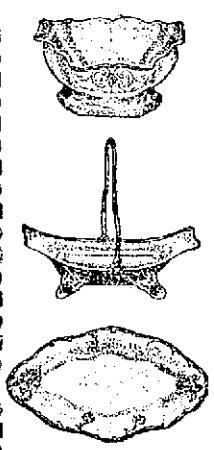
This coupon, when filled in and mailed as directed, entitles her to a Crisco Cook Book.

This Cook Book contains 250 tried and tested recipes covering the whole field of cooking.

It also gives full particulars as to the many advantages of Crisco and the many ways in which it can be used to improve and simplify cooking.

15c per can

Select Something Useful Combined With Quality and Elegance



And here is just the place to find the very gift for the bride, sister, mother. The elegant new pieces in sterling silver and plated Sheffield ware are so novel in shape and reasonable in price that you will not hesitate to say "It's just the gift."

Sugar Baskets, Bread Dishes, Spoon-holders, Plates, Bon-bons.

A large variety of really new pieces awaits your inspection.

Do your shopping early this year

OTTO ZOELLNER & BRO.

415 Chillicothe Street

ACID VICTIM IS DETERMINED TO END HER LIFE

Threatened To Leap Out Hospital Window, Nurse Closely Guards Broken Hearted Girl

The young woman who attempted suicide at the Shaw boarding house No. 915 Eighth street, Monday morning, and who, judging from notes she wrote, is Miss Fern Ferguson, of Huntington, W. Va., is still determined to end her life.

"If you first don't succeed, try and try again," spoke the would-be suicide to Miss Hilda Strong, superintendent of Hempstead hospital, Monday evening. Miss Strong grew suspicious and had a special nurse to attend and closely guard her. Later Miss Ferguson told this nurse that she was going to jump out of the window of her ward. She spent a fairly good night, and barring complications that may result from the effects of the dose of carbolic acid that she swallowed, will recover.

A young railroad man giving the name of Charles Payne, boarding in the city, and who claimed to be a cousin of Miss Ferguson, called on her at the hospital Monday evening. He remained at her bedside for a couple of hours. She begged him not to notify her relatives at Huntington, W. Va., what she had done, saying she did not want them to know it.

Charles Etzel, a boarder at the Shaw home, who had interested himself in Miss Ferguson to the extent of finding temporary employment for her at the boarding house after her arrival in the city a few weeks ago, and who seems to have won her utmost confidence, left for Huntington Monday evening, determined to impress her people with the girl's desperate plight. Etzel's greatest fear is that Miss Ferguson will yet kill herself, she having told him that she was determined to end it all.

She spoke of the time when she held a good position and was considered one of the best saleswomen in Huntington, how she enjoyed being at home with the other children and contrasted the change. Life was no longer sweet to her, she said, and she did not wish to take up the room in life that might be filled by another to better advantage and usefulness.

Mrs. Mary E. Shaw, the boarding housekeeper, while she had shown the girl every possible kindness and consideration, and judged from her general demeanor that something was troubling her, has experienced a change of heart since learning of her affairs at Huntington. She feels the girl did wrong in taking advantage of her home as she did. She attempted self-destruction in the same room occupied by Mrs. Shaw's daughter, Ruth Shaw, aged 17 years, who for the past week has been bedfast with appendicitis and is still under a physician's care. She had been improving the past few days, but the shock of the attempted suicide has greatly affected her. Mrs Shaw packed up all of the girl's clothes and effects Tuesday morning and sent them to Hempstead hospital.

A man whom the girl called upon in a note to defray her burial expenses is said to have been fined in police court at Huntington some weeks ago and indicted by the grand jury, following disclosures of a double life, in which he was allowed to have posed as the husband of the Ferguson girl, while his real wife resided only a few blocks away.

Ohio Woman Recovers After Stomach Torture

Mrs. Nora Britton is well known in Coldwell, O., where she has lived for some time. Her many friends, who know the suffering she has endured from stomach trouble are marveling at the sudden and astonishing improvement in her condition.

Mrs. Britton credits her good fortune to a trial of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy, and describes her experience as follows:

"For four years I suffered, no one knows what. I had six doctors but received no benefit. One said it was catarrh of the stomach, another recommended an operation. I had given up all hope when I saw an advertisement of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy and decided to try it. Thank God, relief came at last. I can't say enough for it. I am pleased and thankful. I am recommending it to every person I meet, suffering with this ailment."

Mayr's Wonderful Remedy gives permanent results for stomach, liver and intestinal ailments. Eat as much and whatever you like. No more distress after eating, pressure of gas in the stomach and around the heart. Get one bottle of your druggist now and try it on an absolute guarantee—if not satisfactory money will be returned.

Murder Charge

Batavia, O., Nov. 30.—Fred Trump, who shot and killed former Probate Judge T. P. Breeding here last Saturday, was charged with murder today. At the same time Clermont county authorities announced that they were investigating the death of Trump's wife which, they said, occurred two years ago under mysterious circumstances.

Breeding had defended Trump in a trial in which he was found guilty on a charge of arson.

Bought Candy

Nick Ginnatti, proprietor of the Palace of Sweets, has just returned from a business trip to Columbus, where he has been buying stock.

Railroad Men

Select that Coat, Dress or Suit for "her" now. We'll deliver it when you say. "One price to all."

The WHEN

THE SOUTHLAND

Inaugurated Nov. 21st

NEW ALL-STEEL TRAIN

via Louisville & Nashville R. R. to

FLORIDA

Leaves Cincinnati 8.00 am. daily Arrives Jacksonville 8.45 am. next day

Through coaches, drawing room and observation sleepers. Full a la carte dining car service for all meals including breakfast into Jacksonville. Entire train electric lighted. Through the Kentucky Blue Grass section and Scenic Cumberland Mountains.

Low fares, and choice of many other routes and trains to Florida. LOW FARES AND EXCELLENT SERVICE TO THE BEAUTIFUL GULF COAST RESORTS AND PENSACOLA, MOBILE AND NEW ORLEANS. Stop-overs permitted at Mammoth Cave and practically all stations in the South.

For illustrated literature, sleeper reservations or information, address

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IRA F. SCHWEGEL, Central Passenger Agent

Union Central Bldg. Cincinnati, O.

FOUR LONG, WEARY YEARS OF HEADACHES

Many mortals have passed through experiences that would have seemed utterly unbearable had the circumstances of what was meted out to them been previously known.

Such a case as this has been that of Mrs. Sarah Warnock, of 1302 Kenyon St., Portsmouth. Mrs. Warnock has the very interesting statement to make, viz:

"For four years I have suffered the tortures of the rack, from headaches that had baffled the skill of doctors, and every remedy conceivable, until I heard of Tanlac, the new medicine that has recently come to Portsmouth. I can hardly realize that I have not had a headache since taking the first few doses of this medicine, which has been almost two months ago. Tanlac is a wonderful medicine, and I will never be without it."

In order to be convinced of the merit of Tanlac, one may even not be compelled to go out of the block in which he lives to hear its praises sung.

Tanlac is the most effective of medicines in instances of catarrh of the head, throat and stomach, liver, kidney and intestinal troubles, nervousness, headaches, rheumatism and general debility.

Tanlac known as the "Master Medicine", is on sale at the "Tanlac Corner", in Portsmouth, Sixth and Chillicothe Sts., by the Fisher & Streich Pharmacy, where representatives, direct from the labratory where this medicine is compounded, are explaining it to large crowds daily. Tanlac is on sale at New Boston by the Earnest Coburn Drug Store. Adv.

Notice:—The Fisher & Streich Pharmacy wishes to state that as the Portsmouth agents for Tanlac, that it has come under their observation that the greatest care possible has been observed by the advertising representative in arranging the statements from day to day, with the object always in mind to avoid errors, and out of the great mass of statements made, it has only been necessary to make one correction, which we think is very creditable, as no one is superior to making an error. The case in mind, and which was honestly erred in was that of L. D. Barton, of 2018 Vinton St., it having developed that though Mr. Barton had taken the Tanlac treatment, the statement made had come from a member of his family, and since he had been taking another remedy, could not give Tanlac the credit. We are always glad to correct mistakes, and in the future only direct testimonials will be used.

Oil Company Plant Right Up To Minute

A visit to the plant of the Central Ohio Oil Co., located in the Kaps building, Tenth and Court streets, this city, will convince any one that the concern is destined to become one of Portsmouth's most substantial enterprises. The plant is strictly up to the minute in every regard and will compard favorably with similar enterprises in the largest cities. Not only is the plant thoroughly equipped, but the building in which it is located has been overhauled to meet all the requirements of the company, and a visit of inspection will conclusively demonstrate the fact that the owners have built for the future, and that they expect to be able to meet all demands of the trade when the Peerless City reaches the 50,000 mark, which, according to Sam M. Coen, the manager of the Ohio branches, believes will be within the next five years.

The company has branches at Columbus, Lima, Chillicothe and Portsmouth, and J. M. Southworth will be in charge of the Chillicothe and local branches. Tracy Dodds, of this city, will be in charge of the office work, while Mr. Williams will have charge of the distribution of the plant.

The new plant has a storage capacity of 40,000 gallons of gasolene and kerosene and Manager Southworth, formerly of Lucasville, and quite well known in this city, says his firm expects to cut a considerable figure in the trade at this point. The company will handle lubricating oils of all kinds and expects to make an interesting announcement through the columns of The Times about the middle of this week.

100 Foot Sign For New Excelsior Plant

The Excelsior Shoe Company will soon erect on top of their magnificent factory building on Gallia street one of the largest signs in Southern Ohio.

It is an all wire sign and the letters will be eight feet high. The sign will be 100 feet in length. These letters will be on it: "The Excelsior Shoe Company, Men's, Boys's and Youth's Shoes. Home of Boy Scout Shoes."

Victim Of icy Sidewalk

Samuel Walker, a resident of Sixth street, fell on a slippery sidewalk on Gallia street Tuesday and sprained his left wrist.

Geeks Will Nominate

The Geeks at a meeting next Friday will hold a special session, which will follow nomination of officers.

Will Ware In The City

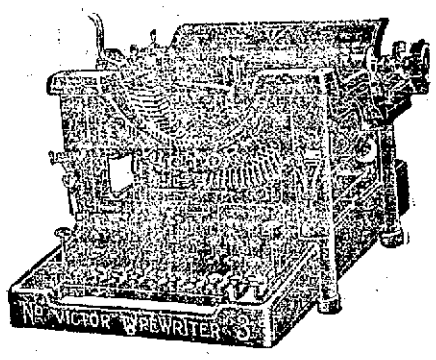
After a successful three months' trip on the coast for the Excelsior Shoe company, Will Ware arrived here Monday, coming direct from San Diego. Mr. Ware expects to leave shortly for New York city, where he plans to spend most of the winter.

Was Here Sunday

Fairfax Dickey, who is now located in Cincinnati for the National Cash Register Company, spent Sunday here with his family.

Every day that THE TIMES is published, builders list their bargains on TIMES WANT AD page.

VICTOR TYPEWRITER



Will You Investigate?

If you will investigate the Victor Typewriter---if you will compare it point for point, feature for feature, with any other machine, you are sure to DECIDE that the Victor is pre-eminently the TYPEWRITER OF TODAY.

If you want the BEST typewriter you will investigate. When shall we send a Victor representative?

VICTOR TYPEWRITER

NEW YORK and ALL PRINCIPAL CITIES

Columbus Office, 50 N. Third Street.

J. B. Parrish Is Named As Assistant To Supt. Stevens

Huntington, W. Va., Nov. 30—Numerous official changes on the Central General division of the Chesapeake & Ohio railroad, and in addition to these directly subsidiary to the recent resignation of H. H. Morris as assistant superintendent of the Huntington and Big Sandy division, were officially announced at the local offices yesterday morning in circulars by General Superintendent J. P. Stevens and Superintendents L. S. Allen and J. H. Harris.

Unofficial announcements made Sunday of the appointment of E. L. Bock as assistant superintendent to succeed Mr. Morris; of L. F. Cabell to succeed Mr. Bock; and of H. T. Brown to succeed Mr. Cabell, were confirmed yesterday in an official statement issued over the signature of Mr. Stevens and Mr. Allen.

Principal among the changes, of which there had previously been no forecast, is the appointment of J. B. Parrish, of Huntington, as assistant to the general superintendent, Mr. Stevens, in charge of car distribution and fuel loading, with headquarters in Huntington. This change is effective December 1.

BRUNNER FAMILIES PICTURED

Ed Brunner, custodian of the First National Bank building, is proudly exhibiting proofs of some group photographs taken of the Brunner family reunion at the family home on Fifth street Thanksgiving Day. Ed boasts that he and family comprised thirteen of the twenty-seven present. It took three turkeys and five rabbits to supply the dinner.

The Ladies' Suits

Coats and Dresses and the Men's Suits and Overcoats selling at

The WHEN

are warm and the most stylish in town. Try them. One price clothing house.

S. S. Smith In Charge

Revival meetings will be held every night this week in the Brewery Hollow school. These meetings are in charge of S. S. Smith.

Ask my customers about my work. Brehmer, the Painter. 1tf

Mr. Phillips Given Cane

Craddock Phillips of the Hummer Club Tuesday was presented with a fine cane by Nate Williams also a member of this organization, whose attendance these cool days has picked up wonderfully, President Faivre asserts.

Vitalite used on all enamel work by Brehmer, the Painter. 1tf

The most widespread disease in the world

The most widespread disease in the world today is that dread affection of the teeth called pyorrhea. Nine out of every ten grown persons have it to some extent. You may have it and be unaware of it. Why? Because scientists have proved that the cause of this disease is a germ which inhabits *every* human mouth, and that thousands have this disease and do not realize it until it reaches the advanced stages of bleeding gums and loose teeth.

Accept the advice dentists everywhere are giving and take special precautions in your daily toilet against this disease. To meet the need for such a daily treatment and to enable everyone to take the necessary precautions against this disease, a prominent dentist has put his own prescription before the public in the convenient form of Senreco Tooth Paste.

Sample size

Senreco contains the best corrective and preventive for pyorrhea known to dental science. Used daily it will successfully protect your teeth from this disease. Senreco also contains the best harmless agent for keeping the teeth clean and white. It has a refreshing flavor and leaves a wholesomely clean, cool and pleasant taste in the mouth.

Start the Senreco treatment tonight—full details in the folder wrapped around every tube. Symptoms described. A 25c two oz. tube is sufficient for six or eight weeks of the pyorrhea treatment. Get Senreco at your druggists today, or send 4c in stamps or coin for sample tube and folder. Address The Sentanel Remedies Co., 507 Union Central Bldg., Cincinnati, Ohio.

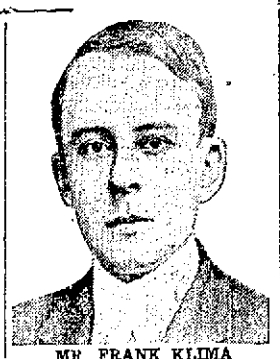
Every Family Needs this Splendid Remedy

Compound of Simple Laxative Herbs Recommended for Constipation

When a remedy has stood the test of critical analysis and strong competition for over a quarter of a century and establishes itself as the indispensable household remedy in thousands of homes, it is pretty good evidence of its efficacy.

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin has been on the market since 1889, its use being gradually extended until now it is generally regarded by druggists as the staple family laxative. It is a combination of simple laxative herbs, free from opiates or narcotic drugs, gentle in its action and positive in effect. It costs only fifty cents a bottle and can be purchased in drug stores everywhere.

Mr. Frank Klima, of 2309 Ashland Ave., Baltimore, Md., wrote Dr. Caldwell recently that he had tried about everything without being helped until he got a bottle



MR. FRANK KLIMA

of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, which he considers the greatest known remedy for indigestion, constipation and stomach troubles.

Get a bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin from your druggist and keep it in the house. A trial bottle, free of charge, can be obtained by writing to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 454 Washington St., Monticello, Ill.

"TIZ" GLADDENS SORE, TIRED FEET

No puffed-up, burning, tender, sweaty feet—no corns or callouses.

"TIZ" makes sore, burning, tired feet fairly dance with delight. Away go the aches and pains, the corns, callouses, blisters, bunions and chilblains.

"TIZ" draws out the acids and poisons that puff up your feet. No matter how hard you work, how long you dance, how far you walk, or how long you remain on your feet, "TIZ" brings restful foot comfort. "TIZ" is magical, grand, wonderful for tired, aching, swollen, smarting feet. Ah! how comfortable, how happy you feel. Your feet just tingle for joy; shoes never hurt or seem tight.

Get a 25 cent box of "TIZ" now from any druggist or department store. End foot torture forever—wear smaller shoes, keep your feet fresh, sweet and happy. Just think! a whole year's foot comfort for only 25 cents.

For Gifts Jewelry is Best

Before buying Christmas gifts do not fail to inspect our stock. Come in and look around. You're never urged to buy here.

See What We Have First

If you are at wits' ends—if you don't know what to buy—if you want to get away from commonplace things—visit our store. Look for yourself. Or ask us to help you pick out an unusual gift. We're always at your service. Always glad to help you.

W. L. WILHELM

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SCIOTO AND FRONT STREETS

VALLEE HAROLD AND HARRY E. TAYLOR, Editors.
GEORGE M. TAYLOR, Managing Editor.

Entered at Postoffice at Portsmouth, O. as Second Class Mail Matter.

THE OPPOSITE VIRTUE.

We are, it is to be seriously thought, to much prone to descant upon our extravagance as a nation, lamentation having back of it something of our national vice, boasting. Certain it is that if we are learning new ways in the arts of the spendthrift, we are also making commendable progress in thrift. Perhaps, if we talked as much about our savings and applauded them to the same degree that we affect to decry our extravagance, a virtue instead of a vice might be our assumed characteristic.

Anyway, we are not "pikers" in anything we do, and are far from being such when it comes to laying aside a part of our earnings and wages as a provision for the future. In every state, in quite every city and town bank and building association reports, for the close of the year, a show a tremendous increase in savings. The government remarks an equally striking gain wherever there are postal savings offices. This latter, to some extent, was to be expected, since foreigners are large patrons of the postal saving departments and owing to disturbed mail facilities in Europe generally they are not so freely sending their money to their homes over there, and, so, are using the postoffice depositories meantime. But as to the banks and the building associations no such general conditions prevail. The savings departments of these are patronized almost exclusively by the native population, and by every dollar enlargement is that much more strongly marked by the habit of thrift that is more broadly fixing itself upon the people.

There is, of course, speculation as to the causes which brought about such a change in the practice of the nation, for such it is, reaching as it does into every state, but there is one cause overlooked, that has been more potent than any other. This is advertising. Ten years ago banks did not consider it good form to advertise, building associations did not know what publicity really meant. Today the highest form of exploitation is being used for both, and it is a matter of considerable gratification and pride to The Times to know that it was one of the very first mediums through which this sort of publicity originated and it has carried more and bigger and better of the sort than any other paper in the country, by far in proportion to the size of its field.

Under parcel post regulations you can send a package anywhere for a few cents and mark it "not to be opened until Christmas." If you intend remembering an absent friend or relative, it would be an excellent idea to send your gift early and so mark it. All indications point to the fact that the postal service is going to do an unprecedented business and parcels, mailed only two or three or even four days before will not, in all likelihood, reach their destination in the time desired, if they have any of the great terminals to go through.

The conquest of Serbia seems have been accomplished with quickness and dispatch, according to plans and specifications, for now comes the announcement from Berlin that Serbia has been overwhelmed and that the road from Berlin to Constantinople is open. And there is a certain definiteness about the announcement that carries conviction.

Writing to The Times from over in Virginia, a prominent and successful farmer commends us for talking apples. "I heartily endorse the enterprising and public-spirited attitude of your paper. Boost, boost and then boost some more," he says. "You have struck a keynote when you said apples. There is money in apples for your people and there is money for progressive, scientific farmers."

Nothing pays like advertising. The Times said Saturday, there was talk of two new buildings going up along side the opera house, and promptly the wind began clearance work by blowing down the wooden fence that has shut off the debris thereon from sight of the passer-by.

They all love the limelight. Our good young Governor was going to go on that peace voyage, if he could find the time. A week later he found he couldn't go, so he got his name in the papers twice.

The Allies are saying it is time for them to begin to discuss the peace terms they will offer the Teutons and Turks. To our way of thinking it is always better to catch the coon before considering how to skin him.

How affairs of great pith and moment have got to wait upon mere piflings. Here is the vital question of who is going to be saloon commissioner in Scioto county suspended, while our good young Governor piddles around about going on a peace commission to Europe, when he never had any such idea to start with.

The railroads have resolved that the way to keep the public posted as to the running of trains is to advertise in the daily papers. Eminently correct and altogether admirable, if put in practice.

If any one believes all the laborers along the new railroad are roisterers and gamblers, he should take a glimpse at the volume of money orders issued by the hamlet postoffices along the way. Some of those fellows are soaking their's while the soaking is good.

A TICKLISH SITUATION.

THE BEST MEDIUM.

Detroit held last week, one of the most remarkable gatherings of men ever witnessed in this country, or any other, for that matter. It was a so-called convention of local selling agents of a popular automobile car.

It was singular in the fact that the reservations made by these agents, the sum of the cars they all agreed to take and sell during the year 1916, reached the stupendous total of $24,000,000, the amount the agents are to pay the manufacturers.

That is an amount staggering to conception, if not altogether inconceivable, and inconceivable to the extent that one must fail to grasp its full meaning that while this particular make takes first rank as a medium priced car, it is still but one of a score of other popular machines at about the same and even higher price. It is as impressive a demonstration as could be had that the automobile has taken an abiding place in our American scheme of living, the costliest, the most extravagant of all, if you will so say.

But there was an incident of the gathering that was equally significant, though by no means so spectacular. This was the word that went out from the publicity department that the day of the magazine as an advertising medium was declining and that of the daily newspaper dawning to new power and opportunity. And this was made still more significant in the fact that the action followed the word and hereafter there will be much more exploiting of automobiles in the daily press than has ever been the case heretofore.

The most complete eclipse in history is that of the Hon. Jack Arnold, lieutenant governor, of Ohio and candidate for everything loose from the governorship to president. Since the recent get-together of the Republican bosses at Columbus there has not even been a cheep from Jack. Hehas been acting like a man who fears he will be noticed. Evidently Jack fears that some of the get-togetherers will size up his job and decide to take it away from him.

The faith of the men in charge of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad in the outlook for business is shown by their letting contracts for the construction of a new coal pier at Baltimore that is to cost $1,500,000. Work is to start at once so that the pier will be ready for 1916 business. The new pier will have a capacity of 10,000,000 bushels and will be the largest structure of its kind ever planned.

This isn't the particular season for the fool killer to be about, which may account for the growth of the rumor that Lieutenant "Jack" Arnold will be a candidate for the vice-presidential nomination on the Republican ticket.

Nearly every railroad in the country showed largely increased earnings for last week. More ruination by Democratic free trade.

AMERICAN OPPORTUNITY.

Discussing the effects of the war upon this country, Henry Clews says:

"One of the most significant and satisfactory results of the war is its stimulating effect upon American enterprise. More than anything else it has forced upon us recognition that we are a world power, comercially and industrially as well as politically. We have too long considered ourselves self-sufficient, and labored under the delusion that we could indefinitely shut ourselves in and others out. We must awaken to the fact that we are a nation of grown-ups; we must take our place in the world's affairs accordingly and adapt ourselves to the new opportunities and new obligations that are fast pressing upon us. With the growth of population the United States is rapidly changing from an agricultural nation to a nation of manufacturers. The past generation has seen big changes in this direction, and the next will see further changes of vastly more consequence. We urgently require foreign markets for our surplus manufactured products, and if we intend to sell to others, we must be prepared to buy from them in exchange; for the simple reason that all foreign trade in the mass is nothing less nor more than barter, even though in detail the operations may be highly complex and delicate. From this it follows that if we wish to export we must be more ready to import; and an enlightened public opinion will in due course of time cease placing obstacles in the way of imports, the only method by which our customers can pay for what they buy. Among our leading manufacturers and merchants there has been a steadily widening recognition of these facts for some years past; and yet in spite of their efforts it required the great European war to really awaken public opinion here to the opportunities that lie outside of our own borders."

We suppose now that it will be in order for Colonel Roosevelt to drop in on congress in his quiet and unostentatious way and tell just exactly how we should prepare our army and navy for eventualities. The Colonel knows and it would be beyond human probabilities that he would keep his knowledge all to himself with a congress loose.

October exports amounted to $334,600,000, or almost $40,000,000 in excess of September. October imports were $148,500,000, leaving the excess of exports at $186,000,000. During the past year our net imports of gold amounted to $326,000,000.

"Jim" Whitacre says he will support Cox, if nominated. In other words he is going to be a good Injun, this trip, and he isn't so bad at that either.

Tomorrow will be the first of December, a particularly good date to begin holiday advertising upon.

We all make 'em. This usually correct chronicler, only the other day, married a distinguished deceased eleven years before he was born.

The automobile magnate didn't succeed in enticing that wise old dignitary, Cardinal Gibbons into his great publicity scheme.

There is budding a deal of copper mining exploitation. Keep your pocket book deep down in your jeans and don't take it out, except to settle Christmas bills and pay taxes.

There was some touch of winter in Monday's weather, a sort of a reminder that Christmas is coming. Buy early and mail earlier.

Monday was impartial in furnishing samples of all sorts of weather. Which justifies our claim this is the finest climate on earth—suits every taste, on short order.

NEW-YORK-DAY-BY-DAY.
BY O. O. McINTYRE.

New York, Nov. 30.—The professional chair-warmers who eat at the Automat and then lounge nonchalantly in the deep sea-going chairs in big hotel lobbies are getting the gate in the hotel district. All they spend is their time and in exchange they soak up all the heat in the place.

Most of them wear fur-coats and trick shoes and always talk in the lofty terms of millions. They represent themselves as gold-miners just in from California, stock salesmen who are here to see a few of the "big fish" in the street and the like. When invited to get the air, they are always grossly insulted, but leave with dignity after threatening "redress" at law.

Most of the lobby-bulls know the professional chair-warmers by sight. Now and then a new one drifts in and is allowed to loaf about for a few days, but in the end they get him. The famous Peacock Alley at the Waldorf used to be the rendezvous until the special Bum Rush Squad was put on duty. Now they dodge the Waldorf as if it was quarantined.

Jack Hazzard, the actor, has a rival of Irvin Cobb's story of the Paducah negro teacher who was asked by the examining board the meaning of the word jeopardize. The negro replied that it was a person who was bitten by a jeopard.

A New York school boy was asked to define the word hazardous. This was his reply:

"Hazardess — a female hazard."

Out in Flatbush the other day, Jack Hammond reports, a resident became such an extreme pacifist that he threw his military brushes out into the street.

Jack Cunningham, Broadway's publicity expert, extraordinary, was riding in the subway the other morning when he overheard two young girls discussing gifts for friends on Christmas.

"Why don't you send George something to read—a year's subscription to a periodical or a nice book?"

"Oh, I couldn't do that," replied the other, "George has a book."

There will be no more Hotel de Ginks in New York this winter. Those merry pilgrims of the highway who make the city their mecca each winter will be forced to work if they migrate here. Commissioner Woods has decided to put all tramps to work on municipal improvements to pay for their keep.

Last winter there was an unemployment problem of vast magnitude. Tens of thousands of men, honestly and earnestly seeking work, were unable to obtain it and were brought to the various breadlines on the Bowery.

This year there is no such situation. Careful canvasses show comparatively little employment. In same cities there is actually a scarcity of labor, not alone of trained mechanics and skilled workers, but of ordinary workers.

George Mathew Adams, the man who discovered Walt Mason, the sweet singer, of Emporia, has a young son who can ask more questions than two Philadelphia lawyers could answer working in day and night shifts.

There were a few guests at Mr. Adams' home for dinner on Thanksgiving Day and suddenly the young man inquired:

"Father why are these spoons marked with the letters H. L. when your initials are G. M. A.?"

There was nothing left for Mr. Adams but to explain to the guests that he was forced to reinforce his own supply of silverware by calling on a neighbor.

In Ironton

Attorney Henry T. Bannon was in Ironton on legal business Monday.

LEGAL NOTICE

Sealed proposals will be received by the Director of Public Service of the City of Portsmouth, Ohio at the office of said Director, until twelve o'clock, noon, Wednesday, December 8, 1915, for the furnishing of necessary materials and performing the labor necessary for the excavation and filling, concrete work, grillage, pile driving and willow planting for constructing a Flood Protection Wall in the City of Portsmouth, Ohio, along the east bank of the Scioto River, at the lower end of Second St., in what is known as the "Point" according to plans, descriptions, estimates and specifications now on file in the office of said Director of Public Service. Each bid must contain the full name of every person, or company, interested in the same and be accompanied by a bond in the sum of $500.00 to the satisfaction of the Director of Public Service, or a certified check on some solvent bank, payable to the order of David E. Edwards, City Treasurer, in the said amount, as guaranty, that if the bid is accepted, a contract will be entered into and its performance properly secured. Should any bid be rejected such check or bond will be returned forthwith to the bidder, and should any bid be accepted such check will be returned upon the proper execution and securing of contract.

Bids must be submitted in sealed envelopes addressed to Mr. William Gergens, Sr., Director of Public Service, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Proposals shall be submitted on the printed form, furnished by the City, on application.

Plans may be seen and specifications and blank forms of proposals procured at the office of the Director of Public Service, Portsmouth, Ohio.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Director of Public Service.

W. B. RICHARDSON,
Clerk.

November 22, 1915. adv. Nov. 23-30

DOC KOKO'S KOLUMN

Butcherin'

Sing a song of butcherin'; sty all full of hogs.
Fire to put the kettles on—make 'er out o' logs.
Gettin' up before the dawn—lawzy, but she's cold!
Luggin' water in a pail, all th' kettles hold.
Heat 'er up till she's aboil soon as breakfast's over,
Everybody's on the job, e'en the cat, and Rover.

Neighbor comes with ancient gun, loaded with a bullet,
(We'll eat pork for weeks and weeks—don't be scared, Miss Pullet!)
Shoots the porkers one by one, stabs them in the brisket,
To the barrels by the sled Pa and Sons will frisk it.
Dip it in and drag it out, scrape it nice and clean,
Hang it up by gambrel-sticks, whittle out its spleen!

Thus it goes through all the day, routine never breakin,'
Day of grease and blood and smoke, night of sausage-makin'!
Renderin' for days and days, cracklin's hot and smelly,
Eatin' ribs an' "tenderline", puddin', pig's-foot jelly—
Still 'twas great to be a boy, in the days I mention.
Butcherin' was a joyful time, past the least contention!

—Strickland Gillilan.

Getting Even

One pay day, when Patrick Mulrooney reached the cashier's desk, he had forgotten his number, which was "100". So the cashier, a quick-tempered man, angrily told him to wait till all the others had been attended to.

Pat was roused. He meant to get his own back.

So, the following Saturday, when the cashier called out, "Your number, Pat?" the Irishman's retort was quick:

"Twoise eleven, six, and seven, four fifteen and foive, sor!"

On The Jump

Mr. and Mrs. Seal Jump visited friends at Sycamore Sunday.—Bucyrus (Ohio) Journal.

Expert Invalid

The Baltimore Sunpaper has a want ad from a woman who says she is "recently from Budapest and has had nineteen years' experience in all kinds of sickness."

Something New

"Bliffins has a scheme for getting rich. Says it's sure to work."

"Well, it will do more than he ever did."—Judge.

The Better Way

His Wife—Ther lan'lord come 'ere this mornin' an' I rgive 'im ther rent an' showed 'im ther baby.

Her husband—Oh, yer did! Well, next time 'e comes jest yer give 'im ther baby and show 'im ther rent.—London Sketch.

Zeek Is Still at Large

No, "Zeek" isn't going to get married; we have no order to print any wedding cards.—Cortland (O.) Herald.

Revenge

"Mr. Shepherd, your daughter has promised to marry me."

"Humph; she said she'd get even with me when I refused to get her a Pekinese pup."—London Mail.

It Must Be All Right

"What do you think about the cause of gravitation?"

"I don't know much about it. But I guess I'm for it."—Princeton Tiger.

Has It Been Disinfected?

Bring your turkeys direct to the pens formerly occupied by A. L. Gott, deceased.—Ad in Richmond (Ky.) Climax.

Taken To Athens

Sheriff Smith went to Columbus Monday to transfer Mary D. Littlejohn, a native of this county, from a sanitarium in Columbus to the Athens hospital for the insane. Judge Beatty recently went to Columbus and conducted the inquest.

Attorney Crawford Home

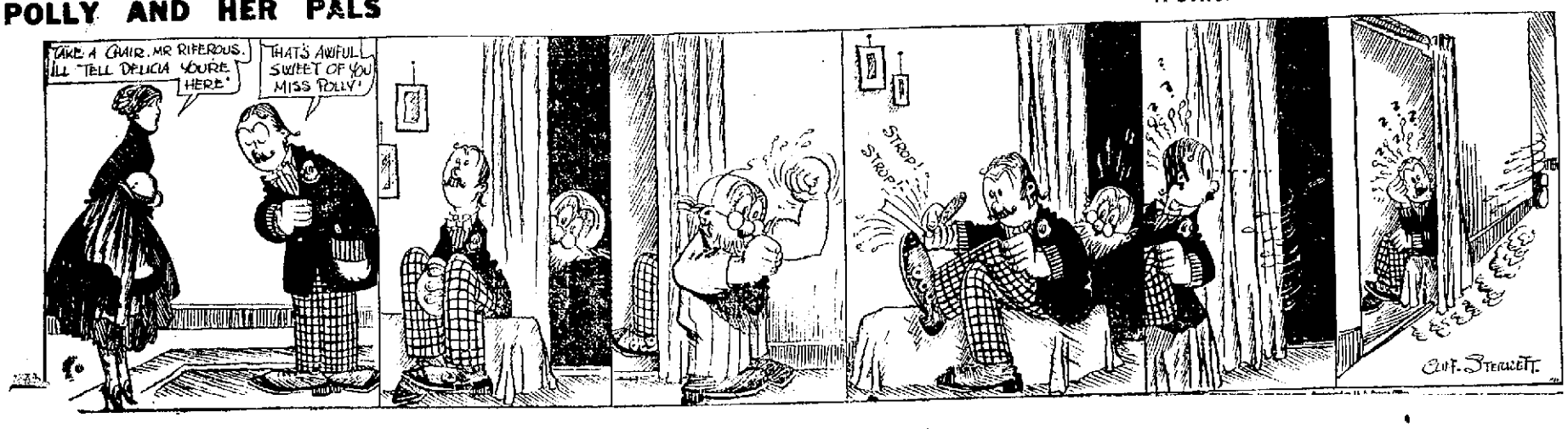
Attorney Mark Crawford has returned from a visit to home folks in West Clarksfield, O.

Will Open Street

Garfield street, east of the cemetery, which Kelley Bros. finished last Friday, will be opened to travel next Saturday.

POLLY AND HER PALS

A STROPPING GOOD TIME WAS HAD.



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INDIAN ATTACKS ON AMERICAN SETTLERS FEARED

ALLIES THINK MIGHT IS RIGHT, SAY GERMANS

TROOPS WITHDRAWN; LEAVE U. S. SUBJECTS OPEN TO DANGER

Topolobampo, Mexico, Nov. 30—(Radio to San Diego, Calif.)—Carranza forces have again opened communication between Guaymas and Hermosillo, the capital of Sonora state, and General Dieguez is endeavoring to interport 2,500 Villa troops supposed to be heading through Southern Sonora in an attempt to join General Bandera, the Villa commander in Northern Sinaloa, according to advices received here today.

Fear of an attack by Indians on the American settlers in the Yaqui valley has increased, as all but fifty troops have been withdrawn from that vicinity to participate in the Carranza campaign to the north.

Owing to the presence of Carranza troops in large numbers at Los Mochis, Americans who had taken refuge on the United States gunboat Annapolis, and those who had come for safety to Topolobampo have decided to return to their homes at once.

GARRISON SHARPLY ARRAIGNS MR. TAFT FOR STATEMENTS ABOUT PHILIPPINES

Washington, Nov. 30—Secretary Garrison, of the war department, in a formal statement sharply arraigns former President William H. Taft for having lent his name to what are termed "statements mendacious in character and mischievous in intent" with relation to conditions in the Philippine Islands under the present administration. Circulation of these statements, Mr. Garrison charges, show plainly "that the Republican politicians are attempting to lay the foundation for campaign material with respect to the Philippine Islands."

Particular attention is given by the secretary to articles written by O. Garfield Jones and published in a California newspaper and later republished in pamphlet form under the title, "Unhappy Conditions in the Philippine Islands," with an introduction by Mr. Taft. The introduction attributed the conditions described to the "blind and foolish policy of President Wilson and Governor General Harrison."

In connection with his comment, Mr. Garrison makes public a letter which he says was written recently by Jones to the department, asking where a newspaper market might be found for a "much better article" which he had prepared on "The Filipinos and the Democratic Regime," declared to be highly favorable to the administration.

British Casualties

London, Nov. 30.—British casualty lists published during November total 1,232 officers, 45,184 non-commissioned officers and men in all fields of war bring the total since the beginning of hostilities to approximately 600,000.

HER DAUGHTERS TO JOIN CAPITAL'S OFFICIAL SOCIETY

Madame Raybaud.

Madame Raybaud, wife of Col. Eduardo Raybaud, military attache of the Argentine embassy, is one of the recent additions to the official set of Washington and by her charming hospitality has already won a high place among society leaders. Mme. Raybaud has four pretty daughters, two of whom will "come out" during this season.

LANDING OF TROOPS IS A VIOLATION OF GREEK TERRITORY

Berlin, Nov. 30—(Wireless to Sayville)—The position taken by the entente allies as reflected in the semi-official statement issued in Paris to the effect that the landing of troops at Saloniki was not a violation of Greek territory, is contradicted by the Overseas News Agency.

"Reports from various sources concerning French and British threats against Greece, fail to clear up the situation," the agency says. However, the general tone of the news from French and British sources indicates clearly that Greece has ben asked to renounce her sovereignty.

"Attempts to justify this course are all in vain. M. Venizelos, the former premier, had not the right under the constitution to sanction the landing of troops at Saloniki.

"The Greek constitution states in Clause 99, that the parliament is the only body which possesses the right to decide such questions. Therefore King Constantine is merely defending the integrity of the constitution against conspiracy, which shows that reproaches directed against him have no just basis.

"The French and British attempts to compel a small neutral nation to consent to the measures taken proves that the entente thinks might is right."

ASSIGNING MEMBERS TO VARIOUS COMMITTEES

Washington, D. C., Nov. 30—Democrats of the house ways and means committee met again today to assign members of committees in continuation of the work of organization for the coming session of congress. It will probably take several days before the assignments can be worked out.

The committee has tentatively agreed to add one member to the ways and means, appropriatoin, military, naval and judiciary committee.

The special rules committe of the senate, of which Senator Owens, of Oklahoma, is chairman, met today to decide on the form of cloture rule to be laid before the caucus for the senate Democrats.

The house special budget committee failed to reach an agreement at its meeting last night on any specific plan.

PREDICTING A BIG XMAS TRADE; MONEY PLENTIFUL

New York, Nov. 30.—Merchants here say that Americans have more to spend for Christmas shopping this year than in any holiday season since the Christmas of 1906. The big stores are preparing for a record trade during December, and wholesale houses are unable to fill orders in many lines. This is attributed to a rush of buyers from other cities to replenish depleted stores.

JOFFRE MAY BE SUPREME COMMANDER

London, Nov. 30.—Field Marshal Sir John French of the British forces on the western front was in London yesterday and conferred with Premier Asquith.

So far as the public knows, Field Marshal French has not been in London since he paid a secret visit to the British capital late in January. He conferred with the British and French war ministers at Calais on July 6.

Earl Kitchener, British secretary of war, was in Paris yesterday. There have been reports that a movement was on foot to place General Joffre, the French leader, in supreme command of the Franco-British forces on the western front, but London has denied there was any foundation for them.

FORTY MILLION DOLLAR COPPER ORDER PLACED BY GERMAN GOVERNMENT

New York, Nov. 30—Orders for cerns in this country, it is reported today, for copper aggregating about 200,000,000 pounds, nearly one-fifth the annual production in the United States, have been placed by German representatives with copper con-

copper is quoted at twenty cents a pound, the cost of the German purchases amount to $40,000,000.

America produced 1,110,062,000 pounds of copper in 1914.

BRITISH AIR CRAFT SINKS TEUTON SUB

London, Nov. 29.—A German submarine attacked by a British aeroplane off Middlekerke on Sunday was sent to the bottom, according to the official report of Field Marshal Sir John French. It was seen to break in half.

RAILROAD LEGISLATION IS NOT TO BE PRESSED

Washington, Nov. 30.—Legislation affecting the railroads and the Interstate Commerce commission, in the opinion of administration leaders in close touch with the subject, probably will not be pressed at this session of congress.

There is pending in the senate committee on Interstate Commerce the bill considered at length last session to give the commission jurisdiction over the issuance of railroad securities. There also is a movement which has attained considerable impetus to enlarge the membership of the commission. Both subjects undoubtedly will be given attention early in the coming session, but it is doubtful if either will be pressed for action for another year.

There is a movement among Democrats in congress to turn the whole question of railroad securities and the enlargement of the Interstate Commerce commission over to a joint congressional committee for thorough investigation and report.

ILL, HE MAY LEAVE THE SUPREME BENCH

Justice Lamar.

Justice of the U. S. Supreme Court Joseph Rucker Lamar of Georgia may be retired because of ill health. A move looking toward his retirement has been started and several members of the judicial committee have been sounded and have expressed their willingness to introduce the measure.

Not Permitted To Enter Belgium

Jersey City, N. J., Nov. 30—Major Wallace Winchell, of this city, who was selected by General Bramwell Booth as head of the Salvation Army relief work in Belgium, has been denied permission by the German government to enter that country, according to information received here by his wife.

Major Winchell is an American.

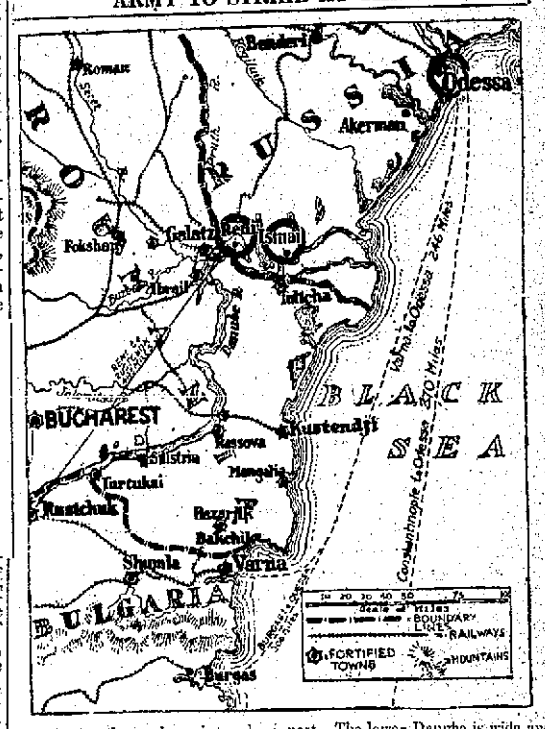
Thousands of people go through TIMES WANT ADS every night. They read them with profit.

REHEARING IS DENIED

Washington, D. C., Nov. 30.—Applications for a rehearing of the case involving the right of trunk line railroads to continue their interest in and operation of the steamers on the Great Lakes, despite the prohibition in the Panama Canal act were denied to-day by the Interstate Commerce Commission. The applications were made by shipper's attorneys as the railroads declined to ask rehearing.

Get busy, men! Don't let the fact that you are temporarily out of a job make your whole future look black. Read TIMES WANT ADS.

WHERE RUSSIA IS MASSING GREAT ARMY TO STRIKE AT THE BULGARS



This map shows the points where Russia is reported to be concentrating troops for an invasion of Bulgaria, either by the Danube—which is by treaty an international waterway—or by the Black Sea. The heavy circles mark the points of concentration at Reni and Ismail, on the Danube in Bessarabia, and at Odessa, Russia's big Black Sea port. The lower Danube is wide and deep enough for a flotilla of large steamships.

The expedition may strike at Rustchuk, Bulgaria's principal Danube port, or at Varna or Burgas, her Black Sea ports. Varna already has been bombarded by the Russians, but German submarines are reported operating there.

Outline Of Military Features Demanded

Athens, Nov. 29—(Via Paris Nov. 30.)—Final solution of negotiations of the entente powers with the Greek government has been further delayed it is reported tonight, pending reply of the allies to the Greek proposal to permit the respective general staffs to define the military features of the Allies' requirements in Macedonia.

THE WEATHER

Ohio—Partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday with snow flurries tonight along Lake Erie. Not so cold tonight in the southwest portion. Warmer Wednesday.

Kentucky—Fair and not so cold tonight and Wednesday.

Arguing Motions In Conspiracy Case

New York, Nov. 30.—The jury in the trial of the Hamburg-American line officials on charges of conspiracy to defraud the United States was excused this morning to give counsel an opportunity to argue three motions by the defense. These were to dismiss the indictment, direct a verdict for the defense or instruct the jury to disregard all testimony concerning the steamer Marina Quesada which, according to the defendants, was not connected with their operations in furnishing supplies to German warships at sea. If the court denies the motions to dismiss the indictment or order a verdict for the defense, counsel for the accused is ready to put on its witnesses, the government having concluded the presentation of the case yesterday.

Every day that the TIMES is published, builders list their bargains on TIMES WANT AD page.

Columbia TODAY PAULINE FREDERICK In A Superb Picturization In Five Parts "ZAZA" Mrs. Leslie Carter's Greatest Play Afternoon and Evening 10 Cents

CRITICS BUSY RATING PLAYERS FOR ALL EASTERN ELEVEN

Mahan And Barrett Are Sure Of Places; Others Are In Doubt

New York, Nov. 30.—The close of the season of football finds wide variance of opinion among close followers of intercollegiate play regarding the final rating of the leading elevens and the players to be selected for the mythical All-Eastern team. Certain players, such as Barrett, of Cornell, and Mahan, of Harvard, are unanimous choices, but in other positions a half dozen candidates are put forward, all having excellent claim for consideration.

High class backfield material was abundant as well as heavy, powerful men for the center line, but there was a scarcity of brilliant ends and quarterbacks. Soucy, Harvard; Lamberton, Princeton; Higgins, Penn State; Shelton, Cornell and Stewart of Colgate, all have their backers for the wing tip positions. At tackle Gilman of Harvard, is the popular choice, with Abell, Colgate; Schultz, Washington and Lee; Farman, Brown; Nash, Rutgers, and McAliffe, of Dartmouth in the running. For guards, Spear, Dartmouth; hite and Schlachter, Syracuse; Hogg, Princeton and Black of Yale, are the leading candidates.

For the backfield, Barrett, of Cornell, is the logical quarterback while Mahan, Harvard, leads in the race for fullback. There is not the same unanimous opinion regarding the two halfbacks. Hastings, Pittsburgh; Wilkinson, Syracuse; Oliphant, Army; King, Harvard; Tolman, Rutgers; Berryman, Penn State; Rose, Syracuse; Scovil, Yale; Gilley, Colgate, and many others are offered as fine material.

The following players are in the lead:

Ends—Soucy, Harvard and Higgins, Penn State.

Tackle—Gilman, Harvard, and Abell, Colgate.

Guards—Spear, Dartmouth and White, Syracuse.

Center—Peck, Pittsburgh.

Quarterback—Barrett, Cornell.

Halfbacks—Wilkinson, Syracuse, and Hastings, Pittsburgh.

Fullback—Mahan, Harvard.

Heine Groh Made Wonderful Record

Fielding averages of the National league, just issued, show that the Reds were practically tied with Boston for the lead—that the two teams ran so closely that the average-maker had to stretch the figures out, the final being Boston .96648, Cincinnati .96647.

Pittsburgh and St. Louis were also extremely close.

Fred Mollwitz was the real leader of the first basemen with a percentage of .996, and also had more chances on the base than any other first-sacker, showing the value of his extension-pole reach and his scoop-like hands. Heinie Groh, in 20 games, was the nominal leader of the second basemen, with a percentage of .973, the real leader being Outshaw of Brooklyn, who amassed the extraordinary record of .971 in 154 games. But Groh hobs up as the real third base leader, with the startling record of .969 in 131 games. The great old Wagner led the shortstops with .948, Buck Herzog following with .945.

Expert Shaw At Playhouse Today

Devotees of packet billiards and straight billiards will no doubt flock to the Play House tonight to see Lew Shaw exhibit his skill with a cue stick.

He is said to be one of the best pool and billiard players in the country and pool players and billiardists will miss a rare treat if they do not see this expert in action.

Manager Gableman of the Play House has arranged for chair service all around his big pool room, which will insure all guests a good seat. Shaw will play a straight rail billiard game of 100 or no count and will play anybody pool 15 or no count.

Immediately after his exhibition tonight Shaw will execute some fancy shots and will lecture on the game. He will be at the Play House Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock and Wednesday night in addition to having an afternoon engagement today.

WHY MEN CHEW TOBACCO

It's the Only Way That Real Tobacco Hunger Can Be Entirely Satisfied

"OLD KENTUCKY" IDEAL CHEW

Since tobacco was first introduced to civilization, nobody has ever discovered so supremely satisfactory a way to get all the flavor and enjoyment out of it as chewing it. And no other form of chew can give you the hearty, wholesome, juicy flavor that you get from a delicious high-grade *plug* tobacco like Old Kentucky.

The secret of the greatest chewing satisfaction lies in the selection of your chew. Among plug tobaccos the brand that gets the most enthusiastic endorsement is undoubtedly Old Kentucky. The reason for this is not hard to find.

Old Kentucky is made exclusively of ripe Kentucky Burley—the most richly-flavored chewing tobacco that grows. Still more, only the very choicest of all the Burley leaf is used for Old Kentucky.

This choice leaf is selected with the most painstaking care, is stemmed by hand, is thoroughly washed free of all foreign matter and is pressed into plugs so slowly that not a drop of juice or an atom of flavor escapes. Moreover, Old Kentucky is made under the most rigid, cleanly and sanitary conditions.

The result is a sweet, mellow, luscious, satisfying chew that cannot be obtained in any other tobacco than Old Kentucky.

Try a 10c pocket plug to-day.

HOTEL Manhattan —AND— Restaurant

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Hart Wants To Umpire

Billy Hart, at one time one of the famous pitchers in baseball is flirting with trouble. He wants to become an umpire. Some people don't know when they are well off. Hart's home is in Cincinnati. Gee, but some people are handicapped.

Waverly Is After Games

Waverly has organized a basket ball team and it is ready to play any team in Portsmouth. Address challenges to Sidney Keechle, Waverly, O.

FT. WAYNE CLUB GOES ON BLOCK

Ft. Wayne, Ind., Nov. 30—E. W. Dickerson, of Grand Rapids, newly elected president of the Central League, has made public a letter from W. C. Kliszke, president of the Ft. Wayne team and owner of the majority of the stock, in which he says that because of ill health he plans to sever his connection with baseball and that the Ft. Wayne franchise is for sale.

AGREE ON THORPE AND SHEVLIN

Eastern football critics, now that the gridiron season is over, have taken up the task of picking the two best players, who ever wore the moleskins.

They have practically agreed that Jim Thorpe is the best all round player, who ever trotted out on any gridiron and that Tom Shevlin follows closely on the Indian's heels for this honor.

While at Yale Shevlin enjoyed the distinction of breaking up every play attempted around his end.

PEERLESS LEAGUE OPENED, BIG INDIVIDUAL IS MADE, MUCH INTEREST DISPLAYED

Standing of Teams

Team	P	W	L	Pct.
Invincibles	3	2	1	.667
Crystal Palace	3	2	1	.667
Play House	3	1	2	.333
Kandy Kids	3	1	2	.333

Games Next Monday

Invincibles vs. Play House at Play House alleys.

Kandy Kids vs. Crystal Palace at Crystal Palace alleys.

With a right royal good will and with a considerable amount of commendable pepper, the Peerless Bowling League opened the season of 1915-16, Monday evening, when the four teams met on the running boards to begin their race for the pennant. Fortune was kind, indeed, to the Invincibles and Crystal Palace teams, the former taking two out of three from the Kandy Kids at the Crystal Palace alley, while the Crystal Palace aggregation tripped up the Play House quintet at the Play House alleys.

Large bunches of rooters lined the alleys and yelled encouragement to the pin artists as the new wood caved in against the assault of the mineralites. And despite fact that not a player has rounded into the best playing form, fairly good scores were made. To the Invincibles went the honor of making high scores, and had it not been for three fouls made by two of their men, would have shoved their noses into the 900 circle. Captain Byron Prediger was absent and turned over the job of running the team to F. W. Sheridan, who had one of his biggest nights, getting a total of 651, good for an average of 217, getting through the evening without making a single error, and but one split looming up on the horizon, said split coming in the ninth frame of the third game. George Wilhelm was second man for the Invincibles, totalling 217 in his last effort, making six strikes in a row. John Doherty, lead off man for the Invincibles, did quite well, and showed that he would have to be reckoned with this season. His wide hook worked a little too freely for spares, but at that he got his share. James was making his debut as a big leaguer, and had considerable trouble with the foul line. However, he also gives considerable promise and will be heard from before the bell taps. LeMasters started out at a terrific clip, but fouled on a turkey in his first game and this seemed to rattle him. He was there in the pinch, however, and helped his team to victory. Wilhelm hit into some extremely hard luck in the first two games and then swung into action with all sorts of skill, pulling down 217 and much happiness.

Captain Walters was the boss shooter for the Kandy Kids, although to save his life he could not get into the charmed circle. He finished the evening with an average of 186, which is quite clever, thank you. Smith had a bad night but kept plugging along and showed that that old hook was still his, even though it was untamed. Captain Malavazos started out like a huge engine, gathering 210 for his first game. He came right back with 171 but fell down a trifle in his third game, garnering but 157. Jim Distel was fair. Ordinarily a 190 bowler, he had some trouble in controlling the ball in the opening game. After that he traveled at a pretty even clip and showed much determination and destructive ability. Jim Wanless, president of the league, will never have such luck as he encountered last night. We don't mean luck, hang it, but tough luck. In the first game he hit into no less than seven splits. In his sandwich game he was not particularly ashamed of his work, but he hid his face when 103 loomed up in the third game. He did not have his usual speed and the pins fell hard.

Down at the Play House alleys the Crystal Palace team took two from the Play House Kids. The scores were low, the players evidently being afflicted with stage fright. Sargent led off for the Play House and could not reach so much as 120. Nick Shively was taking his first lesson as a regular and showed that he is going to be a big leaguer forty ways from the jack. Mantel did fine, considering the fact that up until last night he had hardly glimpsed at a mineralite. He grew better as the games progressed and will be there all over from now on. Jeffords was just fair, hitting into some bad breaks. Captain Mansfield was off his stride, not having been on an alley for several months. He will get set now and make up for lost time. Graves rolled but one game and found the going pretty good.

For the Crystal Palace team Elmer Heisel had the satisfaction of making the only 200 score, gathering 202 in his first game. He had high average for his team. Joe Doll was second best, rolling a very consistent game. Captain Bullock came next, his last game being 187. The Bertram brothers seemed to be a little bewildered at the new surroundings, but both are artists and will hit their stride on their own alleys.

Lou Distel, of the Crystal Palace alleys announced he would give $1.50 for the highest scores, both at ten and duck pins. The scores:

Invincibles—			
Doherty	157	132	176
James	103	139	137
LeMasters	188	132	135
Wilhelm	160	149	217
Sheridan	211	216	224
Totals	839	769	889
Kandy Kids—			
Smith	134	159	124
Malavazos	210	171	157
Distel	151	160	167
Wanless	112	154	103
Walters	182	178	198
Totals	789	842	749
Play House—			
Sargent	110	...	118
Shively	155	174	132
Mantell	136	160	180
Jeffords	151	163	145
Mansfield	146	121	...
Graves	...	155	112
Totals	698	773	687
Crystal Palace—			
Doll	135	182	159
T. Bertram	120	144	142
F. Bertram	169	123	150
Heisel	202	147	150
Bullock	137	120	187
Totals	763	716	788

All Western Eleven

Chicago, Nov. 30.—Good football backs were plentiful; but good linemen scarce in the central states, according to critics who assumed the task of picking all-western itself, is a misnomer, for only the limited territory from Ohio to Nebraska, inclusive, is covered in the search for talent.

In the selections available, the following have received the greatest number of votes:

Ends—Chamberlain, Nebraska, and Baston, Minnesota.

Tackles—Buck, Wisconsin, and Shull, Chicago.

Guards — Fitzgerald, Notre Dame, and Dunnigan, Minnesota.

Center—Watson, Illinois.

Quarterback—Russell, Chicago.

Halfbacks—Maulbetsch, Michigan, with Rutherford, Nebraska and MacComber, Illinois, equally divided.

Fullback—Bierman, Minnesota.

Gunboat Smith Put To Sleep By Coffey

New York, Nov. 30—Jim Coffey, the Irish heavyweight, knocked out Gunboat Smith, of this city, in the fourth round of their ten-round match at Madison Square Garden last night.

The fight was a hard one from the start. Coffey had the advantage nearly all the way and punished his opponent severely. Coffey weighed 202 pounds and Smith 180 1-2. The knockout came after one minute and 55 seconds of milling in the fourth round. Coffey landed a hard blow on the body and several seconds later put a right swing to the jaw, which sent Smith down for the count.

JUDGE MILNER TO BE SPEAKER

Judge J. C. Milner of this city will deliver the memorial address at the annual lodge of sorrow to be held next Sunday by the Athens Lodge of B. P. O. Elks of Athens, Ohio.

People Ask Us

What is the best laxative? Years of experience in selling all kinds leads us to always recommend

Rexall Orderlies

as the safest, surest and most satisfactory. Sold only by us, 10 cents.

The Rexall Store.

OPEN NOSTRILS! END A COLD OR CATARRH

How To Get Relief When Head and Nose are Stuffed Up.

Count fifty! Your cold in head or catarrh disappears. Your clogged nostrils will open, the air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more snuffling, hawking, mucous discharge, dryness or headache; no struggling for breath at night.

Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist and apply a little of this fragrant antiseptic cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothing and healing the swollen or inflamed mucous membrane, giving you instant relief. Head colds and catarrh yield like magic. Don't stay stuffed-up and miserable. Relief is sure.

Probation Officer Here

Miss Emily Greer, probation officer for the Girls' Industrial School at Delaware, was in Portsmouth Monday on official business.

Health and Happiness Depend Upon Your Liver

That sluggish liver with its sluggish flow of bile is what makes the world look so dark at times. Dr. King's New Life Pills go straight to the root of the difficulty by waking up the action of the liver and increasing the bile. Dr. King's New Life Pills cause the bowels to act more freely and drive away those "moody days." 25c. a bottle.

Will Probated

The will of the late John J. Schmank was admitted to probate in probate court this afternoon. The entire estate of the deceased is bequeathed to his widow, Emily Schmank.

Sober and competent workmen with Brehmer, the Painter. 1tf

Cornell And Piatt Did Not Lose Game

The following table show the games won, lost and tied among the principal colleges of the East this year:

Teams	G.	W.	L.	T.	Pts.	Op.Pts.
Cornell	9	9	..	..	287	59
Pittsburgh	8	8	..	..	247	26
Columbia	5	5	..	..	126	28
Harvard	9	8	1	..	164	36
W. and J.	10	8	1	1	213	45
Lafayette	11	8	3	..	206	112
Union	8	7	1	..	57	10
F. and Mar.	8	7	1	..	229	30
Dartmouth	9	7	1	1	194	40
Georgetown	9	7	2	..	317	40
Penn. State	9	7	2	..	148	51
Syracuse	10	7	1	2	268	16
Colgate	7	6	1	..	221	38
Princeton	8	6	2	..	136	33
Amherst	8	5	4	..	81	66
Swarthmore	8	5	3	..	94	71
Brown	9	5	3	1	166	33
Army	9	5	3	1	114	57
Navy	9	3	5	1	99	118
Yale	9	4	5	..	83	98
Penn.	10	4	4	2	124	73
Carlisle	11	3	6	2	84	197

NO CAPTAIN CHOSEN

The seventeen lettered men of the Portsmouth high school football eleven held a meeting Monday afternoon to elect a captain for next season. The members could not agree and will hold another meeting.

Must Pay Own Fines

Boston, Nov. 30.—The Boston Nationals, whose "kicking" tactics on the baseball field during the past season were criticized in some quarters will improve their conduct next year, if President James E. Gaffney has his way. In a letter mailed today to everyone of the Braves under contract, the club executive announces his determination that the conduct of the team shall be above criticism.

"Umpire baiting is a thing of the past. It is a detriment to the winning of pennants," he continued. "Every player who is fined by an umpire next season must pay his own fine.

CRISPETTES IN DEMAND

Harry Strong of the Portsmouth Crispette company remembered The Times force Monday with a supply of delicious pop corn crispettes. Two dozen fresh crispettes taken from the crispette machine in a few minutes were quickly disposed of by The Times force. The crispettes are making a hit and are disposed of as fast as they can be made. All grocers have crispettes for sale.

DUNWAY CONCERT CO. HERE THURSDAY NIGHT

Thursday evening the fourth number of the high school lecture course will be given in the high school auditorium. The Dunway Concert company consisting of Miss Hetty J. Dunaway and Miss Mabel Vann.

The company presents the beautiful and artistic creation "The Lady of the Decoration" in a medley program of songs, humorous stories, costume selections and character delineations from the poems and prose of today. Miss Dunaway has prepared an elaborate adaptation of Frances Little charming story "The Lady of the Decoration" with ten different changes of costumes the program being to musical accompaniment. Miss Mabel Vann is concert pianist and musical director. Miss Dunaway is unusually versatile, her humor is spontaneous and her appreciation of pathos keen.

Want Road Improved

Trustees of Clay township called on Prosecuting Attorney Micklethwait this afternoon to seek his advice about the transfer of money from one fund to another to make possible the improvement of the township road leading from Long Run to Davis Station.

LADIES! LOOK YOUNG, DARKEN GRAY HAIR

Use Grandma's Sage Tea and Sulphur Recipe and nobody can tell. Brush it through hair.

Gray hair, however handsome, denotes advancing age. We all know the advantages of a youthful appearance. Your hair is your charm. It makes or mars the face. When it fades, turns gray and looks dry, wispy and scraggly, just a few applications of Sage Tea and Sulphur enhances its appearance a hundred-fold.

Don't stay gray! Look young! Either prepare the tonic at home or get from any drug store a 50 cent bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound." Thousands of folks recommend this ready-to-use preparation, because it darkens the hair beautifully and removes dandruff, stops scalp itching and falling hair; besides, no one can possibly tell, as it darkens so naturally and evenly. You moisten a sponge or soft brush with it, drawing this through the hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; after another application or two, its natural color is restored and it becomes thick, glossy and lustrous, and you appear years younger.

LOW FARES DAILY —TO THE— CALIFORNIA EXPOSITIONS —AT— SAN DIEGO AND SAN FRANCISCO

ALL THE WORLD IS INVITED

THE NUMEROUS ROUTES TO CALIFORNIA OFFER A VARIETY OF WONDER PLACES AND ALLURING ATTRACTIONS AND THE LONG RETURN LIMITS, WITH LIBERAL STOP-OVER PRIVILEGES PERMIT VISITING EVERY POINT OF INTEREST ENROUTE.

LET US PLAN YOUR TRIP AND SECURE YOUR RESERVATIONS

THE BALTIMORE & OHIO SOUTHWESTERN R. R.

WITH ITS TRIPLE CHAINS OF STEEL COACHES, LUXURIOUS PARLOR CARS, FULLMAN ELECTRIC LIGHTED STEEL SLEEPING CARS AND EXCELLENT DINING CAR SERVICE, MAKES DIRECT CONNECTIONS WITH ALL LINES CARRYING THROUGH EQUIPMENT TO CALIFORNIA POINTS.

FOR FURTHER PARTICULARS SEE LOCAL AGENT OR ADDRESS

L. G. PAUL, T. P. A., CHILLICOTHE, O.

G. E. Wharff, Local Agent.

New Fall Patterns

Have Arrived. An expert tailor at your service.

McGARRY THE TAILOR 821 Gallia

WELLS BEATEN BY JOHNNY GRIFFITHS

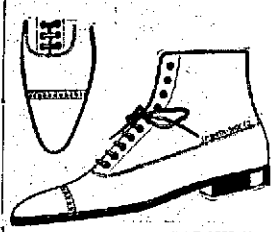
Akron, O., Nov. 30—Johnny Griffiths, of this city, won in fairly easy fashion from Matt Wells, former English champion, last night in their 12 round go. Wells did not get started until the last three rounds of the fight and then found that Griffiths was there, with every sort of attack. Griffiths' left reached Wells almost at will during the final round.

BIDDY BEERS IN LEAGUE

Biddy Beers, who managed the Charleston team the past two seasons is now employed by a telephone company in Charleston. His father operates an exchange in Armstrong, Ia. Biddy is a member of the Pastime Bowling league in Charleston and last night in three games he totaled 553, making the scores of 17, 193 and 185.

Don't let another sun set with your WANT untold. Use the TIMES which reaches over 9,000 homes every day.

The HI ART



One of the BUNGALOW line. "A easy shoe to live in." Made of Tan Russia Calf, on the Hi Art last of English pattern, Cloth and Calf Top.

One of the real shoes for the man who cares.

845 Gallia **BAKER** 845 Gallia

The Sleepless Shoeman

FLORIDA WINTERS

are ideal for a few weeks vacation or for longer if one has the time to spend the entire winter in that delightful climate. It is becoming the custom more and more every year for people to take a winter vacation and make a short trip to Florida. For those who desire to make a two or three weeks visit to Florida the

C&O

have on sale the first and third Tuesdays of each month, round trip tickets at a special reduced rate, good for return anytime within 21 days These tickets can be used through Cincinnati or via the more interesting and pleasant route through the Virginias, Carolinas and Georgia.

Winter Tourist tickets with June 1st return limit also on sale daily for those who desire to spend a longer time in Florida.

Call at C. & O. office, Turley Bldg. for further information and free literature.

D. A. GRIMES, Agent.

WINTER-TOURIST RATES VIA N&W

To points in Alabama, Arizona, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mexico, Mississippi, New Mexico, North and South Carolina and Texas.

Tickets on sale daily.

Return limit, June 1, 1916.

HOME SEEKERS

Tickets on sale first and third Tuesdays of each month to points in Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Mississippi, Tennessee, North and South Carolina and Virginia at greatly reduced rates. Further information by addressing

R. E. SCOTT
Passenger Agent,
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The Portsmouth Daily Times
SUBSCRIPTION $5.00 PER YEAR

The Times Publishing Co.
CHILLICOTHE AND FRONT STREETS

VALLEE HAROLD AND HARRY E. TAYLOR, Editors.
GEORGE M. TAYLOR, Managing Editor.

THE OPPOSITE VIRTUE.

We are, it is to be seriously thought, to much prone to descant upon our extravagance as a nation, lamentation having back of it something of our national vice, boasting. Certain it is that if we are learning new ways in the arts of the spendthrift, we are also making commendable progress in thrift. Perhaps, if we talked as much about our savings and applauded them to the same degree that we affect to decry our extravagance, a virtue instead of a vice might be our assumed characteristic.

Anyway, we are not "pikers" in anything we do, and are far from being such when it comes to laying aside a part of our earnings and wages as a provision for the future. In every state, in quite every city and town bank and building association reports, for the close of the year, a show a tremendous increase in savings. The government remarks an equally striking gain wherever there are postal savings offices. This latter, to some extent, was to be expected, since foreigners are large patrons of the postal saving departments and owing to disturbed mail facilities in Europe generally they are not so freely sending their money to their homes over there, and, so, are using the postoffice depositories meantime. But as to the banks and the building associations no such general conditions prevail. The savings departments of these are patronized almost exclusively by the native population, and by every dollar enlargement is that much more strongly marked by the habit of thrift that is more broadly fixing itself upon the people.

There is, of course, speculation as to the causes which brought about such a change in the practice of the nation, for such it is, reaching as it does into every state, but there is one cause overlooked, that has been more potent than any other. This is advertising. Ten years ago banks did not consider it good form to advertise, building associations did not know what publicity really meant. Today the highest form of exploitation is being used for both, and it is a matter of considerable gratification and pride to The Times to know that it was one of the very first mediums through which this sort of publicity originated and it has carried more and bigger and better of the sort than any other paper in the country, by far in proportion to the size of its field.

Under parcel post regulations you can send a package anywhere for a few cents and mark it "not to be opened until Christmas." If you intend remembering an absent friend or relative, it would be an excellent idea to send your gift early and so mark it. All indications point to the fact that the postal service is going to do an unprecedented business and parcels, mailed only two or three or even four days before will not, in all likelihood, reach their destination in the time desired, if they have any of the great terminals to go through.

The conquest of Serbia seems have been accomplished with quickness and dispatch, according to plans and specifications, for now comes the announcement from Berlin that Serbia has been overwhelmed and that the road from Berlin to Constantinople is open. And there is a certain definiteness about the announcement that carries conviction.

Writing to The Times from over in Virginia, a prominent and successful farmer commends us for talking apples. "I heartily endorse the enterprising and public-spirited attitude of your paper. Boost, boost and then boost some more," he says. "You have struck a keynote when you said apples. There is money in apples for your people and there is money for progressive, scientific farmers."

Nothing pays like advertising. The Times said Saturday, there was talk of two new buildings going up along side the opera house, and promptly the wind began clearance work by blowing down the wooden fence that has shut off the debris thereon from sight of the passer-by.

They all love the limelight. Our good young Governor was going to go on that peace voyage, if he could find the time. A week later he found he couldn't go, so he got his name in the papers twice.

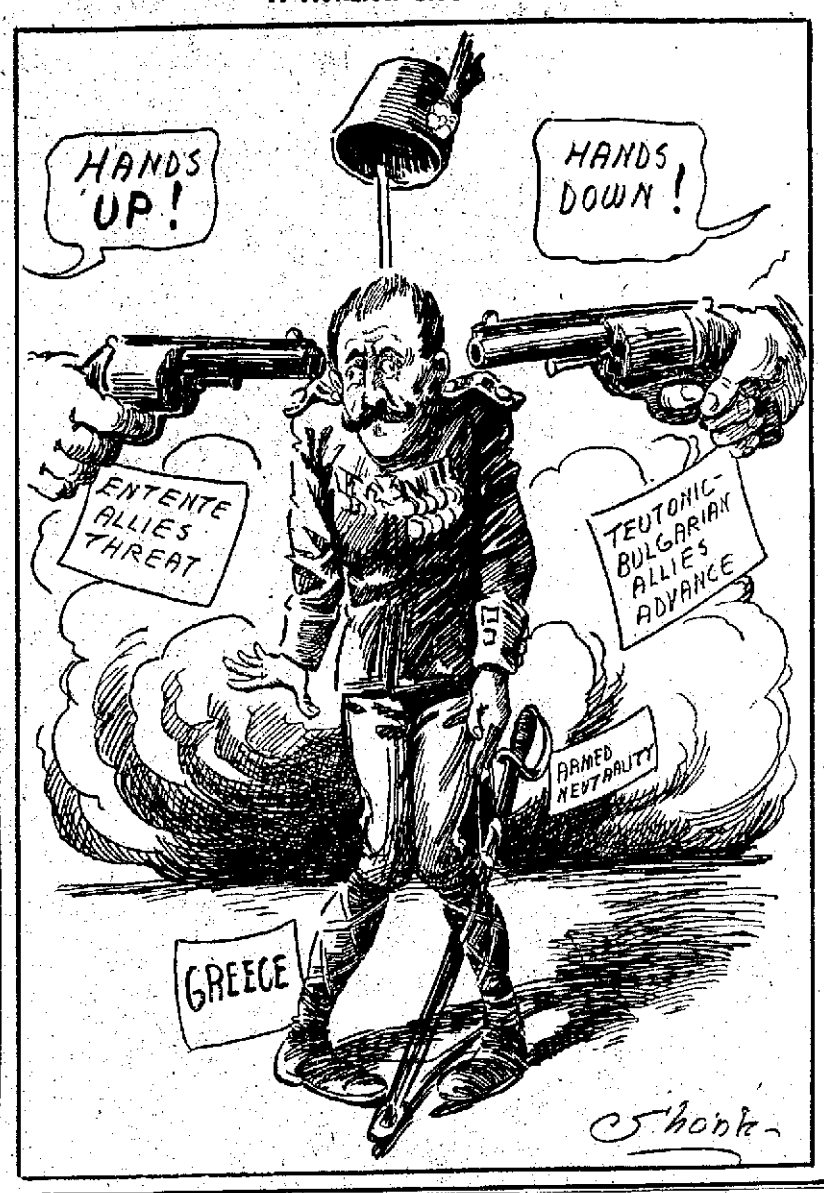
The Allies are saying it is time for them to begin to discuss the peace terms they will offer the Teutons and Turks. To our way of thinking it is always better to catch the coon before considering how to skin him.

How affairs of great pith and moment have got to wait upon mere piffings. Here is the vital question of who is going to be saloon commissioner in Scioto county suspended, while our good young Governor piddles around about going on a peace commission to Europe, when he never had any such idea to start with.

The railroads have resolved that the way to keep the public posted as to the running of trains is to advertise in the daily papers. Eminently correct and altogether admirable, if put in practice.

If any one believes all the laborers along the new railroad are raisterers and gamblers, he should take a glimpse at the volume of money orders issued by the hamlet postoffices along the way. Some of those fellows are soaking their's while the soaking is good.

A TICKLISH SITUATION.



There is budding a deal of copper mining exploitation. Keep your pocket book deep down in your jeans and don't take it out, except to settle Christmas bills and pay taxes.

There was some touch of winter in Monday's weather, a sort of a reminder that Christmas is coming. Buy early and mail earlier.

Monday was impartial in furnishing samples of all sorts of weather. Which justifies our claim this is the finest climate on earth—suits every taste, on short order.

NEW-YORK-DAY-BY-DAY.
BY O.O. McINTYRE.

New York, Nov. 30.—The professional chair-warmers who eat at the Automat and then lounge nonchalantly in the deep sea-going chairs in big hotel lobbies are getting the gate in the hotel district. All they spend is their time and in exchange they soak up all the heat in the place.

Most of them wear fur-coats and trick shoes and always talk in the lofty terms of millions. They represent themselves as gold-miners just in from California, stock salesmen who are here to see a few of the "big fish" in the street and the like. When invited to get the air, they are always grossly insulted, but leave with dignity after threatening "redress" at law.

Most of the lobby-bulls know the professional chair-warmers by sight. Now and then a new one drifts in and is allowed to loaf about for a few days, but in the end they get him. The famous Peacock Alley at the Waldorf used to be the rendezvous until the special Bum Rush Squad was put on duty. Now they dodge the Waldorf as if it was quarantined.

Jack Hazzard, the actor, has a rival of Irvin Cobb's story of the Paducah negro teacher who was asked by the examining board the meaning of the word jeopardize. The negro replied that it was a person who was bitten by a jeopard.

A New York school boy was asked to define the word hazardous. This was his reply:

"Hazardess — a female hazard."

Out in Flatbush the other day, Jack Hammond reports, a resident became such an extreme pacifist that he threw his military brushes out into the street.

Jack Cunningham, Broadway's publicity expert, extraordinary, was riding in the subway the other morning when he overheard two young girls discussing gifts for friends on Christmas.

"Why don't you send George something to read—a year's subscription to a periodical or a nice book?"

"Oh, I couldn't do that," replied the other, "George has a book."

There will be no more Hotel de Ginks in New York this winter. Those merry pilgrims of the highway who make the city their mecca each winter will be forced to work if they migrate here. Commissioner Woods has decided to put all tramps to work on municipal improvements to pay for their keep.

Last winter there was an unemployment problem of vast magnitude. Tens of thousands of men, honestly and earnestly seeking work, were unable to obtain it and were brought to the various breadlines on the Bowery.

This year there is no such situation. Careful canvasses show comparatively little employment. In some cities there is actually a scarcity of labor, not alone of trained mechanics and skilled workers, but of ordinary workers.

George Mathew Adams, the man who discovered Walt Mason, the sweet singer, of Emporia, has a young son who can ask more questions than two Philadelphia lawyers could answer working in day and night shifts.

There were a few guests at Mr. Adams' home for dinner on Thanksgiving Day and suddenly the young man inquired:

"Father why are these spoons marked with the letters H. L. when your initials are G. M. A.?"

There was nothing left for Mr. Adams but to explain to the guests that he was forced to reinforce his own supply of silverware by calling on a neighbor.

In Ironton

Attorney Henry T. Bannon was in Ironton on legal business Monday.

LEGAL NOTICE

Sealed proposals will be received by the Director of Public Service of the City of Portsmouth, Ohio at the office of said Director, until twelve o'clock, noon, Wednesday, December 8, 1915, for the furnishing of necessary materials and performing the labor necessary for the excavation and filling, concrete work, grillage, pile driving and willow planting, for constructing a Flood Protection Wall, in the City of Portsmouth, Ohio, along the east bank of the Scioto River, at the lower end of Second St., in what is known as the "Point" according to plans, descriptions, estimates and specifications now on file in the office of said Director of Public Service. Each bid must contain the full name of every person, or company, interested in the same and be accompanied by a bond in the sum of $2,000 to the satisfaction of the Director of Public Service, or a certified check on some solvent bank, payable to the order of David E. Edwards, City Treasurer, in the said amount, as guaranty, that if the bid is accepted, a contract will be entered into and its performance properly secured. Should any bid be rejected such check or bond will be returned forthwith to the bidder, and should any bid be accepted such check will be returned upon the proper execution and securing of contract.

Bids must be submitted in sealed envelopes addressed to Mr. William Gerrard, Sr., Director of Public Service, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Proposals shall be submitted on the printed form, furnished by the City, on application.

Plans may be seen and specifications and blank forms of proposals procured at the office of the Director of Public Service, Portsmouth, Ohio.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Director of Public Service.

W. H. RICHARDSON,
Clerk.

November 22, 1915. adv. Nov. 23-30

THE BEST MEDIUM.

Detroit held last week, one of the most remarkable gatherings of men ever witnessed in this country, or any other, for that matter. It was a so-called convention of local selling agents of a popular automobile car.

It was singular in the fact that the reservations made by these agents, the sum of the cars they all agreed to take and sell during the year 1916, reached the stupendous total of $24,000,000, the amount the agents are to pay the manufacturers.

That is an amount staggering to conception, if not altogether inconceivable, and inconceivable to the extent that one must fail to grasp its full meaning that while this particular make takes first rank as a medium priced car, it is still but one of a score of other popular machines at about the same and even higher price. It is as impressive a demonstration as could be had that the automobilhe has taken an abiding place in our American scheme of living, the costliest, the most extravagant of all, if you will so say.

But there was an incident of the gathering that was equally significant, though by no means so spectacular. This was the word that went out from the publicity department that the day of the magazine as an advertising medium was declining and that of the daily newspaper dawning to new power and opportunity. And this was made still more significant in the fact that the action followed the word and hereafter there will be much more exploiting of automobiles in the daily press than has ever been the case heretofore.

The most complete eclipse in history is that of the Hon. Jack Arnold, lieutenant governor, of Ohio and candidate for everything loose from the governorship to president. Since the recent get-together of the Republican bosses at Columbus there has not even been a cheep from Jack. Hehas been acting like a man who fears he will be noticed. Evidently Jack fears that some of the get-togetherers will size up his job and decide to take it away from him.

The faith of the men in charge of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad in the outlook for business is shown by their letting contracts for the construction of a new coal pier at Baltimore that is to cost $1,500,000. Work is to start at once so that the pier will be ready for 1916 business. The new pier will have a capacity of 10,000,000 bushels and will be the largest structure of its kind ever planned.

This isn't the particular season for the fool killer to be about, which may account for the growth of the rumor that Lieutenant "Jack" Arnold will be a candidate for the vice-presidential nomination on the Republican ticket.

Nearly every railroad in the country showed largely increased earnings for last week. More ruination by Democratic free trade.

AMERICAN OPPORTUNITY.

Discussing the effects of the war upon this country, Henry Clews says:

"One of the most significant and satisfactory results of the war is its stimulating effect upon American enterprise. More than anything else it has forced upon us recognition that we are a world power, comercially and industrially as well as politically. We have too long considered ourselves self-sufficient, and labored under the delusion that we could indefinitely shut ourselves in and others out. We must awaken to the fact that we are a nation of grown-ups; we must take our place in the world's affairs accordingly and adapt ourselves to the new opportunities and new obligations that are fast pressing upon us. With the growth of population the United States is rapidly changing from an agricultural nation to a nation of manufacturers. The past generation has seen big changes in this direction, and the next will see further changes of vastly more consequence. We urgently require foreign markets for our surplus manufactured products, and if we intend to sell to others, we must be prepared to buy from them in exchange; for the simple reason that all foreign trade in the mass is nothing less nor more than barter, even though in detail the operations may be highly complex and delicate. From this it follows that if we wish to export we must be more ready to import; and an enlightened public opinion will in due course of time cease placing obstacles in the way of imports, the only method by which our customers can pay for what they buy. Among our leading manufacturers and merchants there has been a steadily widening recognition of these facts for some years past; and yet in spite of their efforts it required the great European war to really awaken public opinion here to the opportunities that lie outside of our own borders."

We suppose now that it will be in order for Colonel Roosevelt to drop in on congress in his quiet and unostentatious way and tell just exactly how we should prepare our army and navy for eventualities. The Colonel knows and it would be beyond human probabilities that he would keep his knowledge all to himself with a congress loose.

October exports amounted to $334,600,000, or almost $40,000,000 in excess of September. October imports were $148,500,000, leaving the excess of exports at $186,000,000. During the past year our net imports of gold amounted to $326,000,000.

"Jim" Whitacre says he will support Cox, if nominated. In other words he is going to be a good Injun, this trip, and he isn't so bad at that either.

Tomorrow will be the first of December, a particularly good date to begin holiday advertising upon.

We all make 'em. This usuaally correct chronicler, only the other day, married a distinguished deceasel eleven years before he was born.

The automobile magnate didn't succeed in enticing that wise old dignitary, Cardinal Gibbons into his great publicity scheme.

DOC KOKO'S KOLUMN

Butcherin'

Sing a song of butcherin'; sty all full of hogs.
Fire to put the kettles on—make 'er out o' logs.
Gettin' up before the dawn—lawzy, but she's cold!
Luggin' water in a pail, all th' kettles hold.
Heat 'er up till she's aboil soon as breakfast's over,
Everybody's on the job, e'en the cat, and Rover.

Neighbor comes with ancient gun, loaded with a bullet,
(We'll eat pork for weeks and weeks—don't be scared, Miss Pullet!)
Shoots the porkers one by one, stabs them in the brisket,
To the barrels by the sled Pa and Sons will frisk it.
Dip it in and drag it out, scrape it nice and clean,
Hang it up by gambrel-sticks, whittle out its spleen!

Thus it goes through all the day, routine never breakin,'
Day of grease and blood and smoke, night of sausage-makin'!
Renderin' for days and days, cracklin's hot and smelly,
Eatin' ribs an' "tenderline", puddin', pig's-foot jelly—
Still 'twas great to be a boy, in the days I mention,
Butcherin' was a joyful time, past the least contention!

—Strickland Gillilan.

Getting Even

One pay day, when Patrick Mulrooney reached the cashier's desk, he had forgotten his number, which was "100". So the cashier, a quick-tempered man, angrily told him to wait till all the others had been attended to.

Pat was roused. He meant to get his own back.

So, the following Saturday, when the cashier called out, "Your number, Pat?" the Irishman's retort was quick:

"Twoise eleven, six, and seven, four fifteen and foive, sor!"

On The Jump

Mr. and Mrs. Seal Jump visited friends at Sycamore Sunday.—Bucyrus (Ohio) Journal.

Expert Invalid

The Baltimore Sunpaper has a want ad from a woman who says she is "recently from Budapest and has had nineteen years experience in all kinds of sickness."

Something New

"Bliffins has a scheme for getting rich. Says it's sure to work."

"Well, it will do more than he ever did."—Judge.

The Better Way

His Wife—Ther lan'lord come 'ere this mornin' an' I rgive 'im ther rent an' showed 'im ther baby.

Her husband—Oh, yer did! Well, next time 'e comes jest yer give 'im ther baby and show 'im ther rent.—London Sketch.

Zeek Is Still at Large

No, "Zeek" isn't going to get married; we have no order to print any wedding cards.—Cortland (O.) Herald.

Revenge

"Mr. Shepherd, your daughter has promised to marry me."

"Humph; she said she'd get even with me when I refused to get her a Pekinese pup."—London Mail.

It Must Be All Right

"What do you think about the cause of gravitation?"

"I don't know much about it. But I guess I'm for it."—Princeton Tiger.

Has It Been Disinfected?

Bring your turkeys direct to the pens formerly occupied by A. L. Gott, deceased.—Ad in Richmond (Ky.) Climax.

Taken To Athens

Sheriff Smith went to Columbus Monday to transfer Mary D. Littlejohn, a native of this county, from a sanitarium in Columbus to the Athens hospital for the insane. Judge Beatty recently went to Columbus and conducted the inquest.

Attorney Crawford Home

Attorney Mark Crawford has returned from a visit to home folks in West Clarksfield, O.

Will Open Street

Garfield street, east of the cemetery, which Kelley Bros. finished last Friday, will be opened to travel next Saturday.

Rexall
Dyspepsia Tablets
Will Relieve Your Indigestion
Worster Bros.

POLLY AND HER PALS

A STROPPING GOOD TIME WAS HAD.

ACID VICTIM IS DETERMINED TO END HER LIFE

Threatened To Leap Out Hospital Window, Nurse Closely Guards Broken Hearted Girl

The young woman who attempted suicide at the Shaw boarding house No. 915 Eighth street, Monday morning, and who, judging from notes she wrote is Miss Fern Ferguson, of Huntington, W. Va., is still determined to end her life.

"If you first don't succeed, try and try again," spoke the would-be suicide to Miss Hilda Strong, superintendent of Hempstead hospital, Monday evening. Miss Strong grew suspicious and had a special nurse to attend and closely guard her. Later Miss Ferguson told this nurse that she was going to jump out of the window of her ward. She spent a fairly good night, and barring complications that may result from the effects of the dose of carbolic acid that she swallowed, will recover.

A young railroad man giving the name of Charles Payne, boarding in the city, and who claimed to be a cousin of Miss Ferguson, called on her at the hospital Monday evening. He remained at her bedside for a couple of hours. She begged him not to notify her relatives at Huntington, W. Va., what she had done, saying she did not want them to know it.

Charles Etzel, a boarder at the Shaw home, who had interested himself in Miss Ferguson to the extent of finding temporary employment for her at the boarding house after her arrival in the city a few weeks ago, and who seems to have won her utmost confidence, left for Huntington Monday evening, determined to impress her people with the girl's desperate plight. Etzel's greatest fear is that Miss Ferguson will yet kill herself, she having told him that she was determined to end it all. She spoke of the time when she held a good position and was considered one of the best saleswomen in Huntington, how she enjoyed being at home with the other children and contrasted the change. Life was no longer sweet to her, she said, and she did not wish to take up the room in life that might be filled by another to better advantage and usefulness.

Mrs. Mary E. Shaw, the boarding housekeeper, while she had shown the girl every possible kindness and consideration, and judged from her general demeanor that something was troubling her, has experienced a change of heart since learning of her affairs at Huntington. She feels the girl did wrong in taking advantage of her home as she did. She attempted self-destruction in the same room occupied by Mrs. Shaw's daughter, Ruth Shaw, aged 17 years, who for the past week has been bedfast with appendicitis and is still under a physician's care. She had been improving the past few days, but the shock of the attempted suicide has greatly affected her. Mrs. Shaw packed up all of the girl's clothes and effects Tuesday morning and sent them to Hempstead hospital.

A man whom the girl called upon in a note to defray her burial expenses is said to have been fined in police court at Huntington some weeks ago and indicted by the grand jury, following disclosures of a double life, in which he was allowed to have posed as the husband of the Ferguson girl, while his real wife resided only a few blocks away.

HOME FROM THE COAST

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Monroe have returned from a delightful six week's trip through the West. They visited the Expositions in California, spent much time in Arizona, Yosemite Park, Grand Canyon, and enroute home they stopped off in Salt Lake City and Denver. Mr. Monroe is a well-known paving contractor and is a member of the firm of S. Monroe & Son.

DEAL IS CLOSED

A deal was closed Monday afternoon whereby Jacob P. Findeis disposed of his business property, located on Gallia pike, near the car turn into Millbrook park, to H. C. Copeland.

The property, which is one of the oldest saloon stands in New Boston, was sold by Mr. Findeis at a good figure. It is at present occupied by the new owner's son, Harry Copeland, a popular young saloonkeeper, who has enjoyed a thriving business ever since locating in that place.

The Uhlans.

The uhlans owe their name to the Turks. It comes from the Turkish word "oglan," meaning "youth."

Tea Store Scene Of Robbery; Police Work On Slight Clue

The Inter City Tea and Coffee Company's store at No. 832 Gallia street was entered some time Sunday afternoon and over $100 were stolen from an office desk, it is claimed.

Entrance to the store was gained by breaking the glass of a side window and turning the latch.

A neighbor woman heard the glass fall, but attributed it to the wind-storm that was raging at the time. The police are investigating the robbery and claim to have a slight clue to the guilty parties.

Louise Mundheim at fashion show.

Precaution.

"I can't stay out late tonight, boys. It's breadmaking night at home."

"Don't tell us you have to make the bread, Henpeck?"

"It's not that, but the rolling pin is too handy."—Baltimore American.

SUFFERING.

Said the poet Goethe, "I never had an affliction which did not turn into a poem." No doubt the best music and poetry in all literature had a like origin if we could only know its whole story. It is universally true that poets "learn in suffering what they teach in song." Nothing really worth while in life's lessons comes without pain and cost.

Check Forger Is Held To Grand Jury

Through a mixup in affidavits The Times Monday had Charles Jones, who forged the name of his benefactor, John E. Williams, to a couple of checks, let off with a fine of $25 and costs when in fact the mayor held him to the grand jury in the sum of $200, in default of which he was committed to the county jail.

Mayor Wants His Books In Good Shape

Mayor Adam Frick has addressed a letter to State Auditor A. V. Donahey asking him to arrange for an audit of his books during the month of December so that he will have everything in readiness to turn over to his successor, January 1st.

The Movies

Pauline Frederick in "Zaza" Columbia Today

The story of the immortal drama, "Zaza", which has been adapted as a photoplay by the Famous Players Film Company, with Pauline Frederick, the foremost emotional actress of the screen, in the title role, and which is to appear on the Paramount program at the Columbia tonight is as follows:

"Zaza" is a popular singer in one of the gayest music halls in Paris. She leads a very tempestuous life and is much sought after by the beaux of the town. One night she meets Bernard, a man about town, behind the scenes and, after a frivolous flirtation, falls deeply in love with him. It is not long before he establishes her in an apartment, where they live happily for several months.

Her infatuation for Bernard is the only real and lasting emotion that Zaza has ever experienced and she dedicates her whole crude nature to the task of making him happy. It is therefore a terrible blow to her when she discovers that Bernard is married and has a little daughter. Stung to the depths of her savage nature by the duplicity of the only man she ever really cared for, Zaza's first thought is for revenge.

With fiendish accuracy she hits upon the plan of going straight to the wife of her betrayer and announcing herself as his mistress as the one best method of obtaining the vengeance which she craves. While still in the heat of her passionate hatred of Bernard, she sets out on her cruel mission, but meets the little daughter before she has an opportunity of denouncing her lover to the mother.

The sweet simplicity of the child, her ingenuousness and her delightful generosity so touch the grief-stricken Zaza that she cannot find it in her heart to crush the child under the blackening weight of the scandal which she knows would follow her through the rest of her life. So it happens that the daughter of Bernard saves him from disgrace.

Totally disillusioned, Zaza now dismisses her lover and returns to the stage. She soon attains marvelous popularity and becomes the idol of Paris. Hearing of her triumphs, Bernard comes to renew his attention to Zaza, and she, in the supreme struggle of her life against the overwhelming love which she still has for the man, finally conquers her own emotions and sends him back to the wife and child, who are still in total ignorance of his double life.

Zaza, with Bernard forever dismissed from her mind, devotes her life to the drama in which she attains the pinnacle of fame.

John A. Sheppard Named As Trustee

Huntington, W. Va., Nov. 30.—John A. Sheppard yesterday was appointed trustee of the bankrupt firm of the Prindle Furniture company, Huntington and Charleston, when creditors met in the office of Federal Referee in Bankruptcy T. R. Sheppard. The creditors did not have a quorum present, the trustees being appointed by the referee. Mr. Sheppard, who has been receiver, was required to furnish a bond of $25,000. The First National bank was made depository of all funds also furnishing a $25,000 bond.

Appraisers filed reports of the valuation of the Huntington and Charleston stores, respectively $7,807 and $7,127. In the schedules filed by the company the valuations were placed at $19,000 and $16,000.

The company filed schedules showing $96,141 open accounts due and a piece of real estate worth $3,000. It is estimated the accounts will bring something over ten per cent and the real estate about $2,000. The stock of goods at Huntington and Charleston should bring from $8,000 to $15,000, according to the estimate. The company has liabilities of approximately $115,000.

Drowning.

The popular belief that a drowning person rises to the surface three times is unfounded.

Excelsior Plant Turning Out 3,600 Pairs Of Shoes Per Day

Humming merrily in all departments the plant of the Excelsion Shoe Company located on Gallia street is now turning out 3,600 pairs of shoes daily and the prospects are so bright that the number may be increased at any time, according to General Manager John E. Williams.

The fitting room in the branch plant in Ironton will be operated Wednesday morning after having been idle for some time. E. E. McKee will be in charge of this department.

The Excelsior Shoe Company advertised for all of their old girls to return to the plant in Ironton and 40 made applications for their old jobs.

OBITUARY

Henry C. Ambrose

Relative to the death of Henry C. Ambrose, who recently passed away at his home in Hillsboro, the News Herald of that city in a recent issue said:

"In the death of Henry C. Ambrose Thursday evening at seven o'clock Hillsboro lost one of its best citizens. He had been very ill with hardening of the arteries for a week and the end was not unexpected. The funeral services were held at the Methodist church Sunday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock conducted by Rev. Earl R. Slutz. Burial was made in the Hillsboro cemetery. He is survived by four children, Mrs. Baxter Cunningham, of Portsmouth, Frank R. Ambrose, of Columbus and Mrs. Clara Brunner and William C. Ambrose, of this city.

"He was 71 years of age and a veteran of the Civil War. For many years Mr. Ambrose had been one of the leading citizens of Hillsboro, with his son William, conducting the Economy Store. For ten years he had been a member of the village council and had been re-elected at the last election. While modest and retiring he was a man of strong character and through his uprightness, honesty and ability won and held the friendship of a wide circle of acquaintances. It was always a pleasure to meet Mr. Ambrose. He was always the same polite, agreeable, kindly gentleman. There seemed to be no rancor of enmity towards any man in his make up, but good will and love for all his fellowmen. A brave soldier, a good citizen, a true christian has passed to his reward.

C. K. Davis

Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn Shiers and son, Lamar, of Lincoln street, were called to Wellston, Saturday, to attend the funeral of Mrs. Shiers' brother, C. K. Davis, who died at Detroit, Michigan. The funeral was held at Wellston, Sunday.

WILSON'S MESSAGE GOES TO PRINTER

Washington, Nov. 30—President Wilson's address to congress went to the public printer today.

The message, which is comparatively brief, will be read by the president at a joint session of the two houses of congress a week from today. It deals primarily with national preparedness.

Attended Wedding

William Brehmer and son Theodore returned today from Chesapeake, O., where they attended the marriage of a relative Saturday.

Mr. Ehret In City

Henry Ehret, an old Portsmouth boy arrived in the city Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lewis, of Fourth and Gay streets. Mr. Ehret was enroute from Cincinnati to Johnson City, Tenn., where he is at the head of a company that operates a machine shop and boiler works. Mr. Ehret was for many years a resident of Portsmouth.

Was Here Sunday

Fairfax Dickey, who is now located in Cincinnati for the National Cash Register Company, spent Sunday here with his family.

First Aid to Memory.

"What are you doing with that nail?"

"Driving it into the table to make me remember something I must do when I go downtown."

"But you can't carry the table with you."

"No; but I can carry the hammer. Then, when I see the hammer I will think of the nail, and then of my errand."—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

FOUND IN THEATRE

Fern Spurlock, 12-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Spurlock, of No. 121 Offnere street, who left her home at nine o'clock Monday morning and did not return at noon was found by her mother in a local picture theatre about four o'clock.

SIDEWALKS NEED ADJUSTING

The mayor has again called the attention of the public service department to the need of adjusting the sidewalks at Seventeenth and High streets to the grade of the present street or curb. Unless property owners make some move in that direction the situation will be brought to the notice of city council, it is said.

Homeward Bound

Lafayette Taylor, who has been enjoying an extended hunting trip in British Columbia, Monday, wired his son, V. S. Taylor, of this city, that he would reach Cincinnati Tuesday evening and would probably arrive in Portsmouth Wednesday. Mr. Taylor has been gone since August 1.

ON THE HONOR ROLL

The Honor Roll of the Fullerton graded school, advanced intermediate department contains the name of six pupils as follows: Fourth grade Lena Thomson, Violet Blaine and Huzel Dowdy; fifth grade, Hazel Bailey, Viola Rice, Roy McGarey. Miss Nettie Miller is teacher of the grades. The pupils average over 90 per cent.

BAPTIZED IN THE OHIO

Six of the converts of the recent revival conducted by Evangelist Harry Edwards, at the New Boston Christian church, were baptized in the Ohio river at the foot of Ohio avenue, by William Adams Sunday afternoon at 2:30 p. m.

Those who obeyed their Lord in the ordinance of baptism Sunday afternoon in the river were Robert Meeks, John Sanford, Clarence Sanford, Chester Sanford, Roy McNeal and Mrs. Sarah Cornett.

100 Foot Sign For New Excelsior Plant

The Excelsior Shoe Company will soon erect on top of their magnificent factory building on Gallia street one of the largest signs in Southern Ohio.

It is an all wire sign and the letters will be eight feet high. The sign will be 100 feet in length. These letters will be on it: "The Excelsior Shoe Company, Men's, Boys's and Youth's Shoes. Home of Boy Scout Shoes."

Ask my customers about my work, Brehmer, the Painter. 1tf

Installs Tables

A representative of the Brunswick-Balke-Collender Company, of Cincinnati, arrived in Portsmouth Sunday night to install the four billiard tables in the new Elks' club rooms in the Play House building. He started to work early this morning, and will probably finish the work this evening. Four tables are being installed, three pocket billiard tables and one regulation billiard table.

U. S. MINISTER TO BELGIUM HOME FOR A REST; WILL RETURN DECEMBER 25

Brand Whitlock, United States minister to Belgium at Brussels, returned home last week for a short rest at his home in Toledo. His return to America, following closely the execution of Miss Edith Cavell, the British nurse, whom he tried to save, has been construed as meaning his retirement at the request of Germany. Mr. Whitlock denies that he has been recalled and has announced that he will return to his post, sailing for Europe December 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Brand Whitlock, photographed since return from Europe.

THOUSANDS OF MANY TONGUES AT POET HILLSTROM'S FUNERAL

Scene at funeral of Joseph Hillstrom in Chicago.